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Yamani Foresees '86 Price War With Oil Less Than \$20

By Bob Hagerty
International Herald Tribune

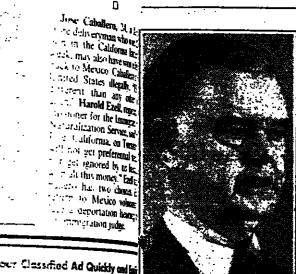
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Jackson Browning

Bhopal Leak Deliberate. Carbide Says

company's plant in Bhopal, India, bat killed more than 2,000 people m December was almost certainly caused deliberately.

"We have all but ruled out any-thing but a deliberate act," said Jackson Browning, vice president for health, safety and environmental affairs. Mr. Browning addressed an international conference here that weighed the effects of the disaster on the world chemical indus-

He appeared to go further than Warren M. Anderson, Union Carbide's chairman, who said in July that he could not rule out sabotage as the cause of the world's worst

Mr. Browning said company sci-EMPLOYEE snown recover had established that un-EMPLOYER amown persons had introduced 120 to 240 gallons (456 to 912 liters) of water into a storage teal. Printing site water into a storage tank, setting off a chemical reaction that caused a bross cloud of lack in that caused a buge cloud of lethal methyl isocyanate gas to leak from the insecticide factory.

He said the Bhopal plant, "for reasons which we have been unable to ascertain," had begun violating standard safety procedures in July ALTO SHIP

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■ Yasser Arafat said the Palestine Liberation Organization opposed terrorist acts against

unarmed civilians. Page 2 ■ U.S. officials described Mikhail S. Gorbachev as combative as he prepared to meet Ronald

Three Chileans were killed and more than 750 arrested in protests in Santiago. Page 3.

Acute famine is ending in the sub-Sahara nations, a UN offictal said.

WEEKEND

■ The sounds of exotic cultures are entering the mainstream of

Western music. BUSINESS/FINANCE Platernational Tin Council

failed to find a solution to the tin-market crisis. Page 11. ■ The dollar closed sharply higher in Europe on reports

that central banks were unlikely

to try to drive it-lower. Page 11.

ously and they will go into a price war, he said. "Maybe the summer of 1987 is the time they will realize the facts of life."

If such non-OPEC suppliers as Britain, Norway and the Soviet Union continue to ignore OPEC warnings, Sheikh Yamani said, those facts probably will include "very violent" fluctuations in price.

From the current range of rough-ly \$25 to \$30 a barrel for most grades of crude, prices could plunge below \$20 during the summer, then resurge to present levels or higher in winter, he said. Despite the risk of a price drop.

he said, Sandi Arabia was deter-mined to keep production near its quota of 4.35 million barrels a day set by OPEC agreement. He estimated that his country, which owns about a quarter of proven world oil reserves, would produce four miltion barrels a day this month, up from a 20-year low of about two illion last summer.

He said that "for the time being" kingdom did not intend to exceed its quota. But if other OPEC members continued to exceed theirs, the Sandis would be free to do the same, Sheikh Yamani said. "Our policy is that if it's free for

some, it's free for all," he said. Saudi Arabia has capacity to produce as much as 10 million barreis a day, more than a sixth of world consumption, as it did at times in the late 1970s, the minister noted.

The actual production level would depend on market conditions, Sheikh Yamani said, but he emphasized that the Sandis would no longer reduce their output uni-

laterally to prop up prices.
"We abandoned the policy of carrying the burden alone," he said.
For OPEC members in general, a greater share of the world market is 'a must," he said. The cartel's share has slumped to roughly a third of world sales from two-thirds in the late 1970s. Sheikh Yamani said that he thought that a price war would increase OPEC's share.

During the coming winter, Sheikh Yamani predicted that oil prices would be stable to slightly higher. Extremely low inventories of crude and some refined products have buoyed prices in recent

Like many oil executives and an-alysts, however, the Saudi minister expected downward pressure to return by next spring.

At an OPEC meeting scheduled Son least 2-165
Son least 2-16 for early next month in Geneval the spread use of hidden discounts, Sheikh Yamani said. "To be realistic," he said, "I

don't think we can achieve this." More likely was that OPEC would continue to try to control its (Confinued on Page 13, Col. 8)

rean plane was on a spying mission. The U.S. and South Korea have denied that and said it was probably off course due to navigational 116 Aircraft al weeks after the Soviet Union, United States and Japan signed a

To United special air safety agreement to help prevent recurrence of the Korean Air Lines tragedy along the Siberi-an coastline, which is heavily trav-WASHINGTON - United Airaircraft. lines has agreed to purchase 116 jet aircraft, including six long-range Boeing 747s, from Boeing Co. in a are still discussing technical details and it has not gone into effect. transaction worth more than \$3 bil-Nonetheless, Japanese officials said the Soviet handling of the inci-

lion, the airline announced Thurs-It was the second big order for Boeing aircraft within a mouth. In October, Northwest Airlines announced it was buying 10 new-model 747-400s as part of a \$2-

billion order. The United order came as the Transportation Department gave final approval to the proposed \$715-million purchase by United of Pan American World Airways

Pacific routes, a move that for the first time will make United a major overseas au carrier. The purchase gives United, the largest U.S. airline, its first major presence in the international airline narket with a route system that

stretches from the West Coast to Tokyo. Connecting routes will link United with China, Taiwan. Hong Kong, Thailand, Singapore and the Philippines. The system also includes flights between Los Angeles and destinations in Australia and

New Zealand. The United-Pan Am transaction must still be approved by the Japanese and other countries where United needs landing rights.

President Ronald Reagan has 60 days in which he could reverse the approval decision, but government sources said that was unlikely since he may do so only on narrow grounds of foreign relations or national defense, and not on econom-

ic or competitive arguments. James J. Hartigan, United's president and chief executive officer, said the order from Boeing was the largest single plane order in the (Continued on Page 13, Col. 5)



A Colombian Army armored vehicle batters down the door of the Justice Ministry in an assault on occupying guerrillas.

JAL Airliner Caller in Beirut Says U.S. Hostages Goes Astray Are Dead; Police Doubt It Is True Near Soviet

By Ilisan A. Hijazi New York Times Service

By John Burgess Washington Past Service

shot down a Korean Air Lines jet in

1983, Japanese officials said Thurs-

The Japanese jet's crew on the

rected their course before the air-

liner improperly entered Soviet air-

space, the officials said. The plane

never came into contact with the

"The incident happened due to insufficient checking by the pilot," Hideo Hirasawa, the airline's man-

aging director, said Thursday, "We going to make strong efforts

that it does not happen again."
The pilot, Morihiko Nishioka,

39, appeared Thursday before re-

gize that my mistake caused so much trouble. I deeply regret it. I wish to go back and start my career again from Square One. I am terri-bly ashamed."

The incident recalled Korean Air

Lines Flight 007, which was shot

down Sept. 1, 1983, by a lighter off

Sakhalin after flying through Sovi-et airspace. All 269 people aboard

Moscow contended that the Ko-

Last week's incident came sever-

eled by commercial and military

Officials from the three countries

dent suggested a change in attitude.

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dent," a Japanese Foreign Ministry

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"The spirit of the agreement was

Soviet fighters.

were killed.

BEIRUT - An anonymous caller purporting to represent the Islamic Jihad guerrilla group told a TOKYO - Soviet fighter jets Western news agency on Thursday that the Moslem fundamentalist were scrambled last week as a Japan Air Lines jetliner strayed off course with 132 people aboard and group had decided to kill its Ameriapproached Sakhalin Island near can hostages. spot where the Soviet Union In a second call a few hours later.

an Arabic-speaking man claimed that the "execution" had been carried out and that the bodies of the victims were dumped in the Cola Oct. 31 flight discovered they had quarter of West Beirut. But a made a navigational error and corsearch of the area turned up no

Police said the claim should be treated with caution. Analysts say that Islamic Jihad may be trying to increase pressure on the United

States to gain the release of possion enemy of Islam," and warned that ers held in Kuwait. The group is believed to be made up of Shitte Moslem activists loyal to the Iranian religious leader. Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini.

The analysts said that if the kidhostages they would have done so without issuing a warning In the first call Thursday, the

man read out a brief statement in Arabic in which he said the organization had decided to reserve the American hostages by a firing The decision was made because

"the negotiations that have been conducted indirectly between us end," the man said.

He called the United State: "the

he said. He promised to telephone again nappers really intended to all the at 1 P.M. "in connection with the status of the corpses of the Ameri-

can hostiges." On Oct. 4, a typewritten state-ment signed by Islamic Jihad and

distributed to the local press said the group had killed an American expure. The statement identified him as William Buckley, a political officer at the U.S. Embassy who was abducted in Moslem-controlled West Beirut in March 1984. It said he was murdered in re-

venge for the Israeli air strike (Continued on Page 5. Col. 4)

Troops Storm Ministry Held By Rebels in Bogotá; 42 Die

BOGOTA - The president of Colombia's Supreme Court and 41 other persons were found dead Thursday inside the Justice Ministry after soldiers using dynamite blasted their way into the building in an attempt to end a two-day sieze by leftist guerrillas, Colombian radio stations reported, quoting military officials.

Soldiers freed 35 hostages after the assault, the radio stations said. but rebels were still holding out in the charred and smoldering building and apparently still holding

The bodies of 42 persons were found inside the ministry when soldiers entered, radio station RCN said, quoting army officers who had been inside.

The dead included Alfonso Reves, the Supreme Court presi-

dent, according to Caracol and RCN radio stations, again quoting military authorities. The report did not say how many

of the dead were hostages or how they might have died.

the end of the American hostages The army said earlier that 17 persons had died in the fighting "We shali shake the earth under since the siege began. If radio rethe feet of America and its agents." ports are true, 59 people have died. [An army spokesman said that the leader of the M-19 guerrillas in the building. Andres Almarales, had been killed, Reuters reported.

Earlier unconfirmed reports said Mr. Almarales, a co-founder of the rebel army 15 years ago, had been captured.] Radio station Todelar said the

uerrillas shot Judge Reves on Thursday morning. The station did not give the source of its informa-

Rebels with the M-19 guernila movement shot their way into the building Wednesday, trapping sev-

Soldiers rescued 38 hostages Thursday after the army used dynamite to blast through ministry walls, RCN and Caracol said.

Several guernillas remained in-side the palace and there apparently were still hostages asside, the radio stations said, quoting an army colonel, Affenso Plazas

After blasting into the palace Thursday, troops reshed inside and fought their way up to the rebels' fourth-floor stronghold, where the leftists were reportedly holding 56 hostages, including the Supreme Court president and seven other

judges. Gunfire between the two sides was so heavy Thursday it aimost drowned out radio reporters on the air from positions 100 yards 191

Troop assaults Wednesday freed scores of captives. Then, Thursday morning, troops freed seven government drivers in a brief battle,

the mayor's office reported. The rebels had sent one of the federal judges. Re-malco Arciniegas, outside the ministry Thursday with a message for President Beisario Betancur, Colonel Piazas said in a broadcast interview with RCN.

Colonel Plazas said the rebels claimed in the note that they had "0 combatants inside the building and enough weapons and ammunition for a long siege.

The repels, according to Colonel

Plazas, said they wanted President Betaneur to name his prother. Federal Judge Jaime Betancur, and Senator José Manuel Arias to mediate the standoff.

A source close to the president said that the government would not negotiate with the insurgents of the April 19 Movement, known here as

The movement takes its name (Continued on Page 5, Col. 5)





Gorbachev and His Family Attend Red Square Parade

Mikhail S. Gorbachev watched his first Revolution Day parade as the Soviet leader from atop Lenin's tomb Thursday as troops, tanks and missile carriers passed through Moscow's Red Square in light rain. Standing before the microphones and taking the salute was Defense Minister Sergei L. Sokolov; Mr. Gorbachev was at his right, and to Mr. Sokolov's left were President Andrei A. Gromyko, Prime Minister Nikolai I. Ryzhkov and Mengistu Haile Mariam, the Ethiopian leader. Western diplomats said that several new weapons systems were displayed. At left, Mr. Gorbachev's daughter, Irina, his granddaughter, Oksana, and his son-in-law looked on.

Winston Lord: On to Beijing, at Last U.S. Envoy Was Instrumental in Changing China Policy

By Jane Gross

New York Times Service NEW YORK — Bette Bao Lord cannot look at the photograph without laughing. There, on a wall of her Park Avenue duplex, her husband, Winston, is playing pingpong with Henry A. Kissinger, both of their faces grim with deter-

Mr. Lord may have won that game — his wife does not recall but he lost the next, a mismatch arranged by Mr. Kissinger with a Chinese champion as the oppo-

pingpong player," Mrs. Lord said, shaking her head at the temerity of shaking her head at the temerity of "I'm really a generalist," said such an assertion. "That's like tell-Mr. Lord, who most recently was ing the Russians you're a good bal-

one of many in the couple's Man- on the National Security Council hattan apartment that could serve and in the State Department in the as his resume for the position of years when relations were reopened ambassador to China, a post he is with China. "I'm not a China exexpected to take up soon.

nation Tuesday night after Presi-body with a world view of how it all dent Ronald Reagan intervened to break a five-week impasse caused by the opposition of Senator Jesse Helms.

The North Carolina Republican had blocked Mr. Lord's confirmation in an attempt to win assurances from the administration that it would provide no aid to China's population control programs. In a gallery off the lover of the

apartment, there is Mr. Lord greeting Richard M. Nixon or Gerald R. Ford, shaking hands with Pope John Paul II, smiling with Zhou Henry went around telling the Enlai or Mao Zedong, and leaving Chinese that Winston was a good the house in Paris where the Vietnam peace treaty was negotiated.

president of the Council on Foreign Relations and was formerly The photograph of Mr. Lord is one of Mr. Kissinger's top advisers

"He's not a China specialist in

the sense of being a scholar," said Mrs. Lord, a native of Shenghai and the best-seiling author of several books, among them "Spring Moon," a saga of her homeland. What he was able to do was integrate China's opening into international policy." Mr. Lord's passion for China, a

matter of accident more than design, has nonetheless been the centerpiece of his career. After graduating magna cum laude from Yale and first in his class from the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Mr. Lord, new 48, excelled at the State Department and the Defense Department in matters unrelated to China, 2nd at one point was warned that his marriage would prohibit an assignment related to China.



Winston Lord

Nixon and Mr. Ford, on nine dipiomatic missions to Beijing,
"Of all the things I did," Mr. Lord said in the interview earlier this year, "that certainly was the most dramatic in all of its human and emotional dimensions. You can argue that was one of the most important geopolitical events in shis resume for the position of years when relations were reopened mbassador to China, a post he is with China. "I'm not a China expected to take up soon.

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CLA Is Said to Tell Panel Of Erring on Defector

By Ronald J. Ostrow Los Angeles Times Service WASHINGTON - CIA offi-

dling of Vitaly Yurchenko, the de-Intelligence.

"The committee's conclusion was that security was lax," the spokesman said Wednesday after working-level" CIA officials privately briefed the panel Tuesday night. He said the officials promised to give the committee the results of the review in six weeks. While CIA officials refused to

specify any agency errors, the committee spokesman said, the CIA officials who briefed the committee "were very straightforward. They said some mistakes were made." A CIA spokesman declined to

comment on the briefing, citing a 'very firm" agency policy against talking about any aspect of the Yurchenko matter.

Mr. Yurchenko, whom U.S. aucials have acknowledged that the thorities have identified as the head agency made mistakes in its han- of the KGB intelligence operation in North America, boarded a spefector who returned to the Soviet cial Aeroflot jet at Dulles Interna-Union, and agreed to appoint an tional Airport on Wednesday and independent expert to review its flew to Moscow after U.S. officials actions, according to a spokesman had determined that he wanted to return to the Soviet Union of his own volition.

Mr. Yurchenko, 50, held a press conference Monday inside the Scviet Embassy here and accused U.S. intelligence agents of abducting him, drugging him and holding him against his will until he managed to escape Saturday. The United States has called those allega-

Some current and former intelligence officials said Wednesday that the loss of Mr. Yurchenko shows the need for the CIA to get Communist-bloc defectors.

They ented what they regard as (Continued on Page 3, Col. 5)

By Bernard Gwertzman

Now York Times Service
WASHINGTON — With less than two weeks remaining before the Geneva meeting between President Ronald Reagan and Mikhail S. Gorbachev, there is only the slimmest possibility that the talks will produce more than a thorough discussion of each side's views. U.S. officials who attended talks in Moscow said.

They also said there was a chance there could be some accords

turned to Washington on Wednes-day to report to Mr. Reagan about their two days in Moscow. They said the discussions in Moscow ended with the United States and the Soviet Union still far apart on arms control issues and regional

U.S. officials indicated that the American side in Moscow was annoved by the way Mr. Gorbachev, the Soviet leader, handled himself in a four-hour meeting Tuesday with Mr. Shultz and others.

Mr. Gorbachev was said to have struck Mr. Shultz and Mr. McFarlane as being argumentative and combative. He was also said to have presented a view of the United States that was as offensive to the administration as Mr. Reagan's depiction of the Soviet Union as an

evil empire was to the Kremlin. The officials said Mr. Gorbachev sought to joust with Mr. Shultz and Mr. McFarlane about what he said was the military-industrial complex running the United States. He was eager to get his ideological points across, the officials said, and often burst into the conversation without waiting to hear what Mr. Shultz

The officials said there was uncertainty over whether the two sides would conclude a culturalexchange accord and some other pacts, such as a consular exchange in Kiev and New York, in the remaining time before the Geneva meeting Nov. 19 and 20.

Such agreements could provide a

Leftists in Belgium Say Aim of Attacks Is to Crush State

BRUSSELS — The Fighting Communist Cells, an extreme left-

ist group that has claimed responsibility for attacks on four banks in Belgium this week, said in a statement received Thursday by news organizations that it intends to crush what it called the "bour-

The seven-page statement carried photographs of the four banks cion," the official Soviet press bombed on Monday and Tuesday, and the group said it would not compromise in its effort to set up a dictatorship of the proletariat.

The statement was sent to news organizations from Charleroi. where two of the attacks took



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backdrop to what now seems to be the main goal of the summit meeting: having Mr. Reagan and Mr. Gorbachev get to know each other and the issues better, and to agree on the need to keep in contact on a more regular basis. But the hopes expressed recently

by some American officials that an agreement on arms-control principles might be worked out along with a communique on East-West relations that did more than list differences seemed to have been dashed, officials said.

on modest issues.

Secretary of State George P.

Shuitz and Robert C. McFarlane.

American officials said, but not former affairs and well versed on foreign affairs and arms control.

A top American official complained Wednesday about the continued Soviet demand for an end to the space-based missile defense program. The Kremlin leadership really hasn't yet absorbed the technical aspects of arms control. nor the conceptual aspects of deter-rence," he said.

The senior official said Mr. Gorbachev believed that "American policy is heavily influenced by a small circle of extremists who are anti-Soviet.'

He said the Soviet leader "seemed to have a rather imperfect view of Ronald Reagan's view of East-West relations."

The official insisted that Mr. Reagan, though not an admirer of the Soviet system, was more than ready to live with it and that this was not recognized by Moscow.

American officials said there was a lack of concrete suggestions on arms control from the Soviet side in Moscow, and suggested that the Soviet leadership had made a policy decision not to make any important agreements with the United States before the Communist Party congress due in February.

Nevertheless, the officials said that for the first time in any highlevel Soviet-American meeting, human rights was discussed at length.

At the talks Monday, Mr. Shultz pointed out that the United States was a nation of immigrants and that politicians reflect the strongly held American belief that people should have a right to emigrate.

In response, the Soviet foreign minister, Eduard A. Shevardnadze, and Mr. Gorbachev countered with the Soviet view that human rights was best served by full employment, free medical and educational services and inexpensive housing. which the Soviet Union provides its

■ Gorbachev Expresses Hope

Kremlin reception Thursday that he saw the opportunity for a "fruitful" summit meeting. The Washington Post reported.

Mr. Gorbachev called for an international climate that would help remove "distrust, hatred and suspiagency Tass said.

"If a businesslike, constructive approach - and we are ready for it prevails, then the forthcoming meeting in Geneva may prove to be fruitful and serve toward improving the international situation." he

■ Talks Called Productive

The chief U.S. arms control ne-Thursday that the final round of arms talks with the Soviet Union such actions. before the summit was productive, Reuters reported from Geneva. But he also said that Washington

would prefer being closer to agreement on nuclear missiles and space

The U.S. goal remained "to obtain deep cuts in offensive nuclear weapons," Mr. Kampelman said. The Talks resume Jan. 16.

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Viktor P. Karpov, left, the chief Soviet arms negotiator, faced U.S. arms negotiators Thursday in Geneva to begin the final session of talks before a meeting of the leaders of

Thatcher of Britain.

the end of November.

The meeting is expected before

"We are not quite there yet," one

some outstanding issues but we are

the two countries. The U.S. team standing on the other side of the table is, from left, John G. Tower, an unidentified translator, Max M. Kampelman and Maynard W. Glitman.

EC Must Pay London, Dublin Are Reported Close Informant of To an Accord on Northern Ireland Price-Fixing

Yasser Arafat, left, with President Hosni Mubarak of Egypt

as they watched a military air show at a base in the Sahara.

At U.S., Qadhafi Warns

hijackings."

But he condemned the United

States for intercepting and forcing down the Egyptian plane carrying

the four hijackers and a PLO offi-

acts gave Libya and other Arab

He was asked what the Libyan

The Associated Press

TRIPOLI, Libya — Colonel Moamer Qadhafi said Thursday that if reports of U.S. plans to de-

stabilize Libya were true, Libyans

would be forced to "subvert Ameri-

port that President Ronald Reagan had authorized the CIA to under-

proved to us that America is our

enemy and should be confronted."

He called on Americans to put Mr.

Reagan on trial.
"I think this is a very serious

violation of the law perpetrated by

the American president, and I

think he should be tried according

to American law," Colonel Qadhafi

said at a news conference attended

by Western, Libyan and Sudanese

Later, speaking to Western tele-vision reporters, he went further.

said, according to an official Liby-an translator. "We must subvert

America from the inside by using

all means possible." He did not

At the news conference, Colonel Qadhafi deplored the slaying of an

American passenger aboard the Achille Lauro, the Italian cruise ship that was hijacked last month.

He said he was "against all forms of

"If it's true, we have to fight," he

He said a Washington Post re- of the suspects.

ca from the inside."

LUXEMBOURG - The European Court of Justice ordered the European Commission Thursday to pay damages of about 500,000 pounds (\$715,000) to a Briton who disclosed details of illegal price fixing by the Swiss pharmaceutical

maker Hoffmann-La Roche & Co. The court said the commission had failed to protect Stanley Adams, a former La Roche executive, by giving documents to the company that identified him as the infor-

The case is the first in which an individual has successfully sued the commission, the European Community's executive body, for damages after a breach of confidence. "I am vindicated," Mr. Adams said after the verdict.

"This was a fight so the little man and woman will not be frightened by money, power or governments," he said.

Mr. Adam's began supplying the commission in 1973 with documents detailing illegal price-fixing and market sharing by La Roche in the European vitamin market, which it dominates.

His disclosure led to a fine of the equivalent of \$360,000 for the Basel-based company for breaking EC trade laws.

La Roche reacted by bringing a charge of industrial espionage against Mr. Adams, who was ar-Mr. Gorbachev told guests at a rested when he entered Switzerland from Italy in 1974. He was on bail three months later.

His wife Marilene, 31, committed suicide while he was awaiting trial after being told by police that he could be jailed for 20 years. Mr. Adams later was given a one-year

suspended sentence. The European Court ruled Mr. Adams was partly to blame in the case because he did not warn the commission that the documents he supplied could identify him, and awarded him only about half of the 950,000 pounds he had sought in

damages and lost earnings. The commission had denied the charges, maintaining that there was no breach of confidence and that, gotiator, Max M. Kampelman, said in any event, the case was older than the five-year time limit for

The information supplied by Mr. Adams included details of pricefixing agreements between La Roche and six other European drug companies to keep up vitamin

The case was made into a television film in Britain recently, and Mr. Adams wrote a book about the

LONDON - Britain and Ireland are close to a pact aimed at drawing the Irish republic into the search for peace in Northern IreDeputy Prime Minister Dick

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About 40 percent of the Catholic land, official Irish and British Spring and Foreign Minister Peter

countries in London in preparation ical violence in Ulster that has cost 2,500 lives since 1969. for a meeting between Prime Minister Garret FitzGerald of Ireland

The aim is to give Dublin a meaningful role in the British-ruled and Prime Minister Margaret North to encourage the Catholic minority to return to the political mainstream without provoking a backlash from the Protestant maof the sources said. "There are still

They said there had been prolics, the Social Democratic and La- could be violent opposition.

gress at a two-hour meeting be-tween Sir Geoffrey Howe, the Brit-ment, where the province's 941,000

sources said Thursday.

Barry of Ireland.

They said details of the agreement were discussed Wednesday

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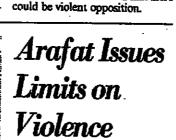
British and Irish ministers have been meeting regularly for a year to details of the agreement were discussed Wednesday

Barry of Ireland.

British and Irish ministers have been meeting regularly for a year to Army, which is fighting to expel the son. Mr. Carter has been in prison British Army and government from nearly 20 years. the North,

British officials suggest that a Dublin would have a consultative role in the North's affairs.

Protestant leaders see this as the The group representing most of Northern Ireland's 563,000 Catho- first step toward eventual Irish unification and have warned that there



New York Times Service

CAIRO — Yasser Arafat said Thursday that the Palestine Liberation Organization opposed terrorist acts against unarmed civilians anywhere and that violators would be punished for carrying out attacks outside Israeli-held lands.

"The PLO denounces and condemns all terrorist acts, whether those involving countries or by persons or groups, against unarmed innocent civilians anywhere," the PLO chairman said after meeting with President Hosni Mubarak of Egypt.

Mr. Arafat cited a 1974 PLO decision "to condemn all outside operations and all forms of terrorism." He said the organization now was reaffirming "the commitment of all its institutions and factions to this decision."

Libya Could Strike Back The PLO as of today will take all punitive measures against violators," he said.

His use of the phrases "outside operations" and "unarmed innocent civilians anywhere" seemed to terrorism" and "totally opposed to imply that the only attacks the PLO now considers acceptable would be launched against the military or security forces in Israel or the territory it occupies in the West Bank and the Gaza Strip.

cial from Cairo after the surrender But Mr. Arafat said the PLO reiterated the Palestinians' right "It is very grave and serious that had authorized the CIA to under-mine the Libyan government such a country is engaged in acts of piracy," he said. "We have always "to fight against the Israeli occupation in all possible ways with the aim of the withdrawal of the Israetried in good faith to have relations with America, but you can't reason with the American government." Colonel Qadhafi said that such

lis from these lands." [A senior aide to Mr. Mubarak said that, in Egypt's view, Mr. Arafat's statement renouncing violence nations the "justification" to "unite applied to Israel. Reuters report-

in the face of American aggres-[Osama el-Baz, a presidential adviser, said the statement confined response would be should a genu-PLO military operations to the Isine plot be uncovered against his raeli-occupied West Bank and

Gaza Strin. "If their stupidity reaches that stage, the Libyan people are armed," Colonel Qadhafi said. The PLO has been accused of involvement in several recent violent incidents, including the Oct. 7 There are more than a million "There are more than a million bijacking of an Italian cruise ship. Libyans in arms and the whole nation will fight."

bijacking of an Italian cruise ship, the Achille Lauro, in which a crippled U.S. passenger was murdered.

WORLD BRIEFS

Guinea-Bissau Aides Accused of Plot

BANJUL, Gambia (Remers) — Guinea-Bissan's first vice presiden; and other officials, including a top army commander, have been arrests; for plotting to overthrow President João Bernardo Vicira, according to monitored broadcasts of Bissan radio.

State radio in Portugal, the former colonial power, said Paulo Correia, the first vice president, Tue Nambanga, the commander of the November 14th Tank Brigade; Tagme Nawae, the military police commander, and the head of the presidential household had been detained.

Quoting Bissau radio and its correspondent in the West African state it said that the plot was started more than a year ago by Mr. Correia and a supreme court judge, Viriato Rodrigues. Mr. Correia was arrested

Japanese Says EC Relations Are Tense TOKYO (AP) — A Foreign Ministry official, describing relations between Japan and the European Community as very tense, said Thursday that a ministerial meeting next week could provide a chance to active

The official, who spoke on condition that he not be named, also said Japan could not accept a request by the EC Council of Ministers that Japan announce targets for increased imports from the community. European officials have sharply criticized Japan for its persistent surpluses in trade with the EC. The Europeans estimate the surplus was

15 billion European currency units (\$12.8 billion) last year. During a visit by Prime Minister Yasuhiro Nakasone of Japan to Brussels in July, Jacques Delors, president of the EC Commission, proposed a ministerial conference to discuss economic relations between Japan and the 10-nation community. It will be held in Tokyo on Nov. 15.

Judge Orders Release of Rubin Carter

NEWARK, New Jersey (UPI)—
Rubin (Hurricane) Carter, the black middleweight boxer convicted twice of murdering three white persons in a New Jersey bar, was About 40 percent of the Catholic population has openly switched its allegiance to Sinn Fein, the politi-

U.S. District Judge H. Lee Sarokin ordered Mr. Carter, 48, freed new arrangement with Dublin on bail, ruling that the boxer and would take the form of a joint min- his co-defendant. John Artis, were isterial commission through which denied their civil rights in Passaic Dublin would have a consultative County trials in 1967 and 1976.

A bartender and two patrons in the Lafayette Bar and Grill in Paterson were killed by pistol and shotgun fire on June 17, 1966. The prosecution argued the killings were racially motivated and carried out in revenge for the slaying of a lan recorded a song claim black bartender. The case became a boxer had been framed.



cause célèbre, and in 1975 Bob Dy-

Bowen Nominated to Succeed Heskler

WASHINGTON (AP) - A former governor of Indiant Oir R Bowen, has been nominated as secretary of the Department Health and Human Services, President Ronald Reagan announced Thursday. The appointment must be confirmed by the U.S. Senate. Mr. Bowen, 67, would succeed Margaret M. Heckler, who last month

acceded to Mr. Reagan's request that she resign the cabinet post in become ambassador to Ireland. Mr. Bowen is climical professor of lange medicine at the Indiana University School of Medicine. The former governor, who also served 14 years in the Indiana General

Assembly, would take over the government's largest agency, with a budget of \$348 billion and about 130,000 employees.

Dutch Propose 12 as Age of Consent

the age of sexual consent from 16 years to 12 years.

Under the proposed legislation, it would be legal for adults to have sex with minors as young as 12, provided the minor had not been corred or seduced with gifts or promises, a Justice Ministry spokeswoman said Thursday. The spokeswoman said the proposal would be submitted to the parliament in February as part of an overall revision of laws on sex. Another proposal would make rape between married partners an offense.

Adriaan Kaland, a spokesman for the Christian Democrats, the senior partner in the governing coalition, said his party was "not at all pleased" with proposals to lower the age of consent.

Greece Is Urged to Let Bulgarians Stay LONDON —Amnesty International said Thursday that three Bulgari-

an Turks who fled to Greece faced death or imprisonment if Greek course granted a Bulgarian request for their extradition

The London-based human rights organization published an appeal to Greek authorities not to return the men, members of Bulgaria's etanse Turkish minority. It said Yusuf Bilalov, Said Mestanov and Huseyin Mestanov could be executed or imprisoned in Bulgaria for speaking out against human rights abuses there. Amnesty International said it had taken testimony from the men about

arrests and deaths during a campaign to force ethnic Turks to adopt Bulgarian names. The Bulgarian authorities applied in September for their extradition on charges of theft and setting fire to a church, according to the rights group. It said a Greek Supreme Court hearing on the men's final appeal was expected soon.

For the Record

The United States and Soviet Union agreed to resume annual conferences, beginning Nov. 11-15, on preventing dangerons incidents at sea. The resumption comes five months after the shooting of a U.S. Ampli major in East Germany led to a breakdown in the talks.

A 30-hour strike at the Agence France-Presse press agency ender.

Thursday after the managing director, Henri Pigeat, promised to support employees' demands for a 2.75 percent cost-of-fiving increase. (Resent)

Peruvian troops killed 18 Maoist guerrilles of the Shining Path group and seized one of their leaders in the bloodiest clash in two months according to military sources in Avanthe Part. according to military sources in Ayacucho, Peru. An earthquake shook three provinces in eastern Turkey on Thursday, Turkish news agencies reported.

The emigration of Jews from the Soviet Union increased again last month with 124 arrivals registered at the Vienna transit center, the agency involved in their resettlement announced Thursday in Geneva. President Ferdinand F. Marcos said the Philippine military would be confined to barracks for the five days before presidential elections tentatively scheduled for Jan. 17. (Reaner)

Gulf Rulers Warn of 'Escalation' in Iran-Iraq War

By John Kifner

MUSCAT, Oman - The conser-Supreme Court in U.S. vative rulers of the Gulf wound up their annual meeting this week with To Review Sodomy Law a warning that the "recent escala- war. Washington Post Service tion" of the Iran-Iraq war threatened the stability of the region and

WASHINGTON - The Supreme Court has agreed to decide for the first time whether the U.S. Constitution prohibits states from regulating private sexual activities between consenting adults. The court announced Monday that it would hear a case challeng-

almost exclusively against homo-

The war and the fears of spreading terrorism in the Middle East rulers who gathered here were King were the major topics at the sixth meeting of the Gulf Cooperation Council, officials and diplomats ing a Georgia law that prohibits oral and anal sex and is enforced

accomplishment and repeated the Council was unease that the herediaccomplishment and repeated the studiously vague phrases that have tary rulers felt after the Islamic Gulf and scizing what it says is revolution that topoled the shelp of

The host of the meeting was Sul-

In addition to the sultan, the

Bahrain, Sheikh Khalifa bin Hamad al-Thani of Qatar, Sheikh Zayed ben Sultan al-Nahyan, who But the communique issued is ruler of Abu Dhabi and president Wednesday at the end of the four- of the United Arab Emirates, and day session disclosed little specific Sheikh Jaber al-Ahmed al-Sabah of Sheikh Jaber barely escaped

death at the hands of a suicide car-

for fear that Iran might lash out at commercial facilities throughout the Gulf in retaliation.

revolution that toppled the shah of military cargo bound for Iraq. ■ Iraq Launches 3 Attacks Iraq said Thursday its troops had

launched three ground attacks in the past 24 hours on the northern and southern fronts, killing 109 framian troops, according to a Renters report from Baghdad. A military spokesman, quoted by the press agency INA, said the

marshes in the south, the east Misan sector of the south-central war front, and at an unspecified location in the north The spokesman said the first attack was in the Hawizah marshes

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last several years. The council officials also repeat-

ed their offer to mediate in the Gulf

tan Qaboos bin Said, the ruler of freedom of navigation in its waters. this strategically placed country.

> Fahd of Saudi Arabia, Sheikh Issa ben Salman al-Khalifa, the emir of

bomber this spring, and the overiding worry about terrorism was evident in the strict security arangements. Whenever the rulers raveled, the roads throughout the city were sealed off.
While the original reason for

founding the Gulf Cooperation

Iran in 1979, the Gulf countries now find themselves somewhat caught between Iran and Iraq in the Gulf war. While the Arab Gulf states have tended to support Iraq out of fear of Moslem fundamentalism, diplo-

mats said that there have been signs that they would like to ease relations with Iran, largely in hopes of warding off terror or attempts to export revolution. Some analysts saw hints of this move toward a more evenhanded

position in the statement issued Wednesday, noting that the reference to the "recent escalation" appeared to refer to Iraqi air strikes against the key Iranian oil terminal on Kharg island.
The Kharg installation had previously been regarded as off-limits,

Iraq made its first raids in mid-August and has staged more than two dozen since. Iran has been

attacks were at the Hawizah

where diplomats in Baghdad said Tehran was believed to have massed troops for a major offen-The third action reported by the spokesman was a counterarrack in

the northern sector, where 24 iranians were killed, four of them in m Iraqi clash with an Iranian patrol-Iraq also said its planes raided Kharg Island on Thursday for the 36th time since mid-August.

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Police arresting Santiago Pereira, a labor leader, and his son during a protest in the capital.

3 Chileans Are Killed, 750 Arrested In Protests Called by Labor Leaders

SANTIAGO - The Chilean police said Thursday that three persons had been shot to death and more than 750 arrested in two days of protests against the military government of President Augusto Pi-

Riot police on Wednesday night stormed the University of Chile's Engineering School campus near central Santiago, where students who had battled police in the streets were seeking sanctuary. Police said they arrested 396

people in the raid. Soldiers and police patrolled Santiago's streets Thursday to prevent a renewal of the protests, which were organized by opposi-tion groups, including the National Workers Command. The union federation has demanded freedom for six jailed labor leaders.

Police said 40 people were injured Wednesday, including eight who suffered gunshot wounds. Thirteen persons have been hospitalized with bullet wounds since the protests against the military government began Tuesday.

The police said they also fought lobbed tear gas grenades through demonstrators in Valparaiso, 75 the windows and stormed it. miles (121 kilometers) northwest of the capital, and in Antologasta, 930 miles to the north.

Police said Emilia Ulloa, 21, was shot to death Wednesday by gunmen firing from a pickup truck as she took part in a demonstration in Santiago's Pudahuel zone.

Erwin Itura, 21, died of gunshot Party congressman, was arrested a block from the presidential palace wounds in a shim district in western Santiago, police sources said. Police reported that Hugo Penailillo, 40, was shot in the head in a working-class district of southern

An organizer of the march even-Santiago where demonstrations tually was allowed to deliver the were taking place. Newspaper re-ports quoted witnesses as saying letter to the office of the palace guard's commander. police had opened fire. Police reported nine bomb ex-More than 20 people were plosions, including one that blew

wounded Tuesday in the street viodown a power pylon Tuesday night lence, and 300 were arrested, acsouth of Santiago and blacked out cording to police. They said they the city of five million people and arrested 460 more people Wednesday, including the students and five An anonymous telephone caller

to The Associated Press claimed Reporters were kept at a distance responsibility for the bombing on as the police surrounded the engibehalf of the leftist Manuel Rodrineering building at the university, guez Patriotic Front

Anibal Cruz, a student, said that

the national police "acted in an

extremely tough manner and beat several students." Patricio Basso,

president of the university profes-

sors' association, said some of his

Santiago Pereira, a labor leader

and a former Christian Democratic

as labor activists tried to deliver a

letter demanding the release of

colleagues were arrested.

their jailed colleagues.

Bids to Delay Departure of **Soviet Sailor**

U.S. Senator

By Philip Shenon
New York Times Service
WASHINGTON — Senator Jesse Helms has decided to subpoena
a Soviet sailor, who jumped ship in Louisiana, to appear before the Senate Agriculture Committee, aides said. They termed the move an effort to delay the man's departure from the United States.

The decision came as the Justice Department announced that a Romanian sailor bad left his ship Wednesday near Jacksonville.

That sailor, identified as Stefan Vernea, was interviewed Wednesday by immigration officials and has sought political asylum, offi-cials said.

Congressional aides said that Mr. Helms, a Republican of North Carolina who is chairman of the Agriculture Committee, had the power to subpoena the Soviet sail-or, Miroslav Medvid.

But was unclear whether the Senate would be able to remove Mr. Medvid from the Soviet freighter, the Marshal Konev, anchored in the Mississippi River.

The ship was scheduled to leave the United States on Friday. Mr. Medvid leaped into the river on Oct. 24 but was returned to the ship by U.S. authorities in circum-

stances that remain in dispute. He was later interviewed by officials of the State Department. The State Department said it was con-vinced the sailor wanted to return to the Soviet Union. The decision infuriated conservative groups and

Ukrainian-American activists. According to aides to Mr. Helms, Mr. Medvid would be brought to Washington, ostensibly to testify before the committee about the incident's consequences for trade in grain.

A Senate lawyer who asked not to be named said, however, that it might be impossible to find a federal judge to enforce the subpoena since the matter was primarily one ported. of foreign policy, which is not the responsibility of the courts. Law enforcement officials said

Mr. Vernea, the other sailor, refused to return to a Romanian ship docked in Florida. Unlike the Soviet sailor, who swam to shore, Mr. Vernea was on shore leave when he decided to seek asylum.



airport near Washington for a return flight to Russia.

Last Chapter of Defector's Defection Started in a Washington Restaurant

New York Times Service WASHINGTON — Vitaly Yurchenko's dramatic return to Mos-cow began last Saturday at a fern-decorated restaurant a few blocks from the Soviet Union's embassy compound, according to intelligence

The sources said Mr. Yurchenko arrived at the restaurant, Au Pied de Cochon, in the company of a single CIA officer. According to intelligence sources, Mr. Yurchenko said: "What would you do if I got up and walked out? Would you shoot me?" The CIA officer said, "No, we don't treat defectors that way."

"I'll be back in 15 or 20 minutes," Mr. Yurchenko said. "If I'm not, it's not your fault." A source said that Mr. Yurchenko then left the restaurant. He was not oursued up the busy street by the CIA officer. Ives Courbois, the restaurant's owner, said he was planning to sell a "Yurchenko shooter," a mixed drink.

Mistrial Ruled In Spy Case Of Former FBI Agent

LOS ANGELES - The espionage trial of Richard W. Miller, a ormer agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, has ended in a mistrial after the jurors said they were hopelessly deadlocked.

The mistrial was declared Wednesday by U.S. District Judge David V. Kenyon after the jury had

deliberated for 14 days. Mr. Miller, 48, was the first FBI agent in history to be charged with espionage. The charge grew out of his activities with a Russian emigrè couple who the government contended were agents of the KGB, the Soviet intelligence service. Until shortly before his arrest on

Oct. 2, 1984, Mr. Miller had been a counterespionage specialist in the FBI's Los Angeles office.

The prosecution immediately said the government would seek to retry Mr. Miller as soon as possible on the same seven espionage counts accusing him of passing FBI docu-

ments to the Soviet Union.

Mr. Miller's two alleged Soviet co-conspirators, Nikolai and Svetlana Ogorodnikov, were convicted in an earlier trial.



CIA Is Said to Tell Panel Of Erring on Defector

major political issues, including the

He said that he was kept on a

where his "main torturer" was a

crazed Vietnam veteran named

is my opinion that he was psycholo-

gically sick." Mr. Yurchenko said.

For him, killing is usual business.

tell the truth as if I were an animal,

the resident of a zoo," he said.

"My tormenters looked at me, to

"When they were preparing me

for a meeting with the head of the

department, Casey, they were

afraid that I would say something,"

"Every day they gave me tablets and narcotics," he said, "Before the meeting I received less than the

normal dose. I remember a bit of it, but it is as if in a mist."

he said.

"He had lost all that is human. It

(Continued from Page 1)

shortcomings in security as well as summit an apparent failure to detect that Mr. Yurchenko was having second 5,500-acre (2,200-hectare) estate thoughts about his reported defec-

[Another, former CIA official, Donald Jameson, said the problems include a failure to recognize or successfully act upon common signs of depression, and to have interrogators who speak fluent Russian, The Associated Press re-

farThe kind of bond and rapport that should have been built between Yurchenko and somebody wasn't made," Mr. Jameson said of the three-month long interrogation of the Soviet defector. "Maybe the root problem in the whole case is the people handling him saw it as a question of paper-shuffling rather than dealing with human beings."

■ Link to Suicide Denied Kenneth Freed of the Los Angeles Times reported earlier from Toron-

The wife of a Soviet trade representative stationed in Toronto apparently has committed suicide by jumping from a building.

Canadian government and police officials denied Wednesday there was any connection between her death and the decision of Mr. Yurchenko to return to Moscow.

The suicide of the Soviet woman Tuesday set off speculation that she might be linked to Mr. Yurchenko. CIA officials had told members of the Senate Select Committee on

Mr. Yurchenko decided to return to Moscow is that his love affair with the wife of a Soviet diplomat based in Canada had soured. The Soviet woman died Tuesday morning after falling from the 27th

Intelligence that one reason that

floor of an apartment building in the Toronto suburb of Etobicoke, police said. They would not identify her because relatives had not been notified, but the Global Television Network said that she was Svetlana

zen who worked for Omnitrade, a Soviet trading company. ■ 'Treated Like an Animal' Celestine Bohlen of The Washing-

Dedkova, the wife of a Soviet citi-

ton Post reported from Moscow: Mr. Yurchenko said in an interview published here Thursday that the CIA had treated him like an animal in a zoo during his threemonth stay in the United States. Mr. Yurchenko described in Komsomolskaya Pravda, the Communist youth newspaper, how he was prepared to meet with William

J. Casey, director of the CIA. Mr.

Yurchenko said the two discussed

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Blacks Suspend Boycott In South African City

labor leaders.

rica — A black consumer boycott ponents of apartheid, including that has crippled white businesses in this Indian Ocean city since it Reverend Allan Boesak, United was called four months ago is to be Press International reported from suspended for two weeks from Fri- Johannesburg.

day, the organizers said Thirsday.

The boycott, regarded as the government would negotiate revisions of its policy of apartheid, or with black and black South Africans, was ordered suspended after an apparent agreement Tuesday between the white business community and the local security forces.

The security forces were expect- made by President Pieter W. Botha. ed to make an announcement soon agreeing to some of the boycotters'

A spokesman for the boycott organizing committee, which went underground when a state of emeraction was being called off tempoauthorities might offer. Many white businesses have

closed and others have been brought to the verge of bankruptcy by the boycott:

The action was imposed to press demands for the withdrawal of secarrity forces from black townships: an end to a ban on political meetings; the bringing to justice of the killers of four political activists, and information on the whereabouts of three other black activists who disappeared earlier this year.

Tony Gilson, director of the Port

Thursday.

Elizabeth Chamber of Commerce, said he welcomed the suspension. But the local Federated Chamber of Industry said it would be "impossible" to meet most of the boycotters' demands.

■ Offer to Talk Is Renewed Deputy Foreign Minister Ron in South Africa.

PORT ELIZABETH, South Af- fer Thursday to negotiate with op-Bishop Desmond M. Tutu and the

mixed-race "men of influence" such as Bishop Tutu and Mr. Boesak if they would renounce vio-lence. Similar offers have been

"We will not speak to them on a one-to-one basis," Mr. Miller said, but rather around a negotiating table at which various leaders from all communities are represented."

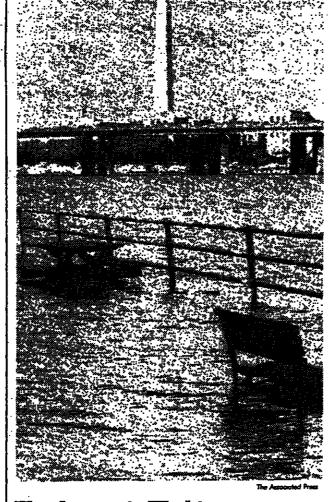
Bishop Tutz, the 1984 Nobel gency was imposed July 21, said the Peace Prize winner, welcomed Mr. Miller's statement. "If the group is rarily to see what concessions the not too large, conditions might be favorable for constructive talks. My mind is certainly not closed to the idea," he said.

> ■ Reagan Urges Negotiations President Ronald Reagan has told the new South African ambassador to the United States. Herbert Benkes, that he counts on the South African government "to take the lead in beginning negotiations that will lead to a political system based on the consent of all those gov-

Mr. Reagan said he was optimis-tic that South Africans could find solutions to their problems.

erned," The Associated Press re-

The president presented the writ-ten remarks to Mr. Benkes when he was formally installed, a move the United States had delayed for several months because of the unrest



Floodwaters in Washington A park along the Potomac River in Washington was flooded and

the Washington Monument, background, was closed as waters neared their crest after four days of rain that have killed at least 36 persons in mid-Atlantic states. Forty-four were missing.



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The New Piccadilly has had what the trade calls 'a soft opening', and its emergence to join the select group of top five-star hotels has been carefully watched. What new allurements is this hotel (actually a grand old Edwardian hotel, just off Piccadilly Circus). Most unusual about this

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actually three restaurants, from the Brasserie for informal eating in the new Sports Centre (the Gleneagles Club. extending three floors down below the street, where there is also a night club, the Music Room' to the smart Oak Room where those who don't want too large a lunch will find an excellent table d'hote at £12 or £15. The Terrace, however, has its own staff and will be open late - ideal for

Dukes Hotel, like the Ritz and the nearby Stafford, is those looking for a romantic part of the Prestige independ-

accustomed to North Amer- The Taj people are still conlocation to sup after a theatre ican guests and you won't lack Romantic too is the restaura welcome once you have ant at Duke's Hotel, hidden off turned into the narrow street St James's Street and not far in the heart of London's club-

from its much more obvious and architecturally grandiose Chopin once lived. neighbour, the Ritz Hotel, managed by the urbane Julian Payne. At the Ritz you get the feeling of old style 'grande huxe' in 123 bedrooms and 17 suites, all spacious and having a sense of roominess rare in more modern places. The Ritz also boasts that it has the prettiest dining room in London - a spacious room by of grandeur, but the rooms their towngarden and the wide spaces of Green Park, it is decorated in an ebullient 19th century French style, and at night there are cabaret acts at 11, Wednesdays through Fridays.

ent hotel grouping and bookings for rooms may be made through a useful central number (01-439 2365). This covers not only the four London members (which also include the Inn on the Park, a modern hotel with 228 rooms and two restaurants - the formal Four Seasons and the less-formal 'Lanes' where you can eat lunch or late after the theatre) but also a whole earnut of country hostelnes from such famous names as the Lygon Arms in the Cotswolds to Eastwell Manor in Kent and Bodysgallen Hall in North Wales - which recently won the Chef of the Year Award in Wales, carried off by Craig Hindley. This is a perfect place to stay if you want to explore the Principality from a 17th century hotel but forgive me, for I am straying rather too far from London!

The dining room at Duke's is one of the most romantic - a small room, well-lit and with mural panels, the tables are well spaced and the service under the head-waiter, George, is impeccable. Bedroom's at Duke's have a decidedly cozy air, with close patterned carpets and drapes and reproduction antique chairs and tables. Managing director Richard Davis is very

land where the Composer If London's architecture appeals to you, as it does to me, you will get a particular pleasure from the Montcalm just behind busy Oxford Street at Marble Arch. Set in a handsome early 19th century crescent on Great Cumberland Place, the interior is designed to maintain that air

facing the crescent are cunningly designed - they utilise large areas of the facade with split-level suites so the effect when you step inside is of a wall of window. Another hotel occupying a 19th century building, an ornate example of a London house of over a hundred years ago, is next to one of London's very the Gore Hotel on Queensgate smartest department stores, not far from the museums of Harvey Nichols. Smooth SW7 and the wide spaces of

Hyde Park. A new addition to London's stock of hotels also utilises the architecture - this time a spacious block of Edflame-pattern fabric, and vast wardian flats in a useful location not far from Victoria and floral display, to the reception the Houses of Parliament. lobby on the far side. There This is the unusual and are prints everywhere - even grandiose St James Court on in the elevators, and the shape Buckingham Gate, SW1, a of the building above means narrow street running from that you may have views from Buckingham Palace towards your room of the park, of Victoria Street. It's part of the South Kensington, of Bel-Taj group of hotels - the last gravia or of Hyde Park Like many other hotels the. Bombay, where they are luxurious modern edifices, offer-Sheraton Park Tower is busy ing strong contrasts to the preparing for the Christmas holidays, with special dinners varied life of India flowing and lunches proposed by Genaround them. With the St James Court they have taken a vast turn-of-the-century apartment building and converted it into a hotel of spacious style - indeed space is the

eral Manager E. Nicolas Behard. There's a brochure outlining all the festivities - even a Scots piper to bring in the New Year in the Champagne thing you notice first about Bar! But there are other Sheratons in town too, and to this hotel - the vast lobby, locate one of their smaller created out of a carriageway now roofed over, is baronial ones I drove along Chesham Place to find on a corner the in concept with marble and modern and discreet little Belpolished wood effects and a servied rank of fine pictures in gravia Sheraton. This hotel shallow framed alcoves. has an added distinction for There is an interior courtyard the Sheraton chain - in with a garden and the splashcommand there is their first ing of a fountain resounds woman general manager, Ms. among the trees and shrubs. Dorean Boulding, in the division which covers Europe,

South Asia.

Eating in the restaurant, which is small and with tables set in a series of alcoves against decorated floral panels, was a particular pleasure with very friendly service from assistant Restaurant Manager Tony Curtis a name easy to remember when making further reservations! There are (increasingly in London hotels it's nice to

Africa, the Middle East and

note) British specialities such verting the remaining blocks as Breast of Duck with Gooseof flats which have their origiberry sauce and deep fried nal names - Kings, Queens, Lymeswold cheese, and the Almoners, Falconers and so French-made ice creams and on. Part of the restoration has water ices are irresistible! included an unusual feature -Assume about £25 to £30 per the world's longest brick person with wine and service. frieze, it's claimed, represent-The Belgravia Sheraton also ing scenes from Shakespeare's offers special weekend rates plays. There are several restuntil the end of March and in aurants plus a pub and a a hotel which is 90% a busincoffee shop. Later additions ess one it's very useful to will include health complexes know that Ms. Boulding gives and modern business faciliparticular welcome to the businesswoman staying at her ties. It certainly gives a strong impression as you approach hotel. the hotel, with newly cleaned Other London hotels you

brickwork and enormous might like to note are the wrought iron gates on the en-Howard if you want to be tryways the St James looks close to the city - it's facing like an embassy or palace. the river beside Waterloo Sheraton have properties Bridge - and the nearby throughout Europe, and their Waldorf, which is a Trust flagship in London is the House Forte as is the smart Park Tower on Knights-Westbury Hotel just off New bridge, a circular building Bond Street. Small, and attracting a regular clientèle is the Chesterfield in Mayfair, and if you want to be in the marble pavements conduct heart of the West End for the you from the busy shopping theatre then try the small street into this unusual circul-Pastoria just off Leicester ar building with its central Square. round reception room with Certainly one of the queens chairs embroidered with among London hotels is the

Dorchester, lifting its impressive art déco front over Park Lane. Inside the feeling is of understated luxury, and though the hotel's rooms may not be sweepingly modern their old style comforts appeal to many clients from social, fashion and business worlds. The details are impressive long foyer, stretching almost a city block beyond the reception area, the 1930's detailing, the carpets with patterns specially woven to fit the curving corridors, the outlook towards the green spaces of Hyde Park. Outside fountains play, and the nightlife of London is a few steps away - or you can stay in the hotel and, in the bar with its horseshoe leather seats, mirrored ceiling and blue-and-white tiled murals of birds and cages,

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taken in the long foyer, the Promenade Room,) and you can choose between the Terrace Room and the Grill Room, which has stayed with the same look for many years. Coffered ceilings with ornate decorations, pictorial tapestries, large chandeliers awagged with gilded ropes and tassels, lightly roughcast walls and a carpet with patterns and colours reminiscent of Liberry's. Mr Curry is Manager of the Grill and he presides with gentle urbanity over a menu that is a clever combin-

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Famine Is • Ending in **Sub-Sahara**

ROME — The head of the UN Food and Agriculture Organization said Thursday that acute famine was ending in much of Africa because the food supply had improved dramatically in countries bordering the Sahara that were affected by drought

The agency said that the number African countries with critical food shortages had dropped from 21 to five: Ethiopia, Sudan, Ango-la, Botswana and Mozambique.

Speaking on the eve of a biannual conference of agriculture ministers from more than 100 FAO member countries, the agency's di-rector-general, Edouard Saouma,

The conference opens as the most painful chapter of this decade: gradually, and thankfully, comes to a close: the acute famme in Africa.

"FAO staff and crop assessment missions confirm in many Sahelian countries the 1985 harvest now available will be an all-time re-

The total production of food in the eight countries on the semi-arid fringe of the Sahara, he said, will be 6.3 million metric tons, more than 50 percent higher than the 4 million metric tons last year.

But these countries — Burkina Faso, Cape Verde, Chad, Gambia, Mali, Mauritania, Niger and Senegal — remain heavily dependent on imports to meet chronic food shortages and need long-term planning programs, he said.

FAO surveys also show that the number of malnourished people in the developing countries has dropped significantly, Mr. Saouma said. "This is the first time we have detected such a decline."

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Kasparov, Karpov Draw 23d Game

The Associated Press

MOSCOW -- The 23d game of the world chess championship end- gation system back on, according ed in a draw Thursday after the challenger, Gary Kasparov, playing white, made his 41st move.

Mr. Kasparov now leads 12 to 11 Mr. Kasparov now leads 12 to 11 guidance and began drifting to-world crown, Anatoli Karpov, the ward the east because of strong champion, must win the final game, which is to be played Saturday. But Mr. Kasparov needs only a draw, which is worth a half point, to win the championship. Although the champion can win with 12 points, the challenger must have 121/2.

An earlier match between the two men was canceled earlier this year after the 48th game. That match included 40 draws.



Morihiko Nishioka, a Japan Air Lines pilot, explains how his passenger jet strayed off course toward Soviet airspace.

JAL Jet, 132 Aboard, Strays Near Russian Security Zone

(Continued from Page 1) official said Thursday. Moscow has

made no public comment on the The Japanese plane, a Boeing 747 operating as Flight 441, took off from Tokyo's international air-

port at Narita at 12:14 P.M. on Oct. 31 with 110 passengers and a crew of 22 aboard. It was bound for Paris with a stop at Moscow. The jet approached a weather front over the Sea of Japan shortly

before I P.M. The pilot decided to break course briefly to skirt the clouds, and he switched off the automatic pilot's inertial naviga-tion system, airline officials said. After the clouds had been bypassed, he forgot to turn the navi-

to official accounts. The plane then followed a magnetic heading rather than the automatic system's more sophisticated

1 Dies, 15 Hurt in Iran Blast

TEHRAN - A bomb exploded near a crowded street market Thursday in Tehran, killing one person and injuring 15 others, the press agency IRNA reported. There was no report on who might have been responsible.

winds. The jet beaded toward Sa-

Several Japanese military radar sites recognized it was off course, a spokesman for the Japan Defense Agency said Thursday, Military authorities then alerted Japanese civilian controllers and tried to raise the crew on an emergency radio

However, a Japan Air Lines spokesman said the volume on the emergency radio had been turned down so low that the crew could not hear the call.

Japanese military radar also picked up two or more unidentified aircraft circling over Sakhalin at the time. These apparently were the three Soviet Embassy officials were Soviet fighters waiting to see if the released unharmed in West Beirut passenger jet would enter Soviet after a month of captivity at the irspace there. There are a number hands of Moslem fundamentalists. of highly sensitive military installations on the island.

At 1:47 P.M., with the plane about 60 miles (97 kilometers) off and for killing a fourth Soviet capcourse, the crew finally discovered tive. the error, according to Japan Air

With clearance from the Russians, the jet made a sharp turn and returned to its normal course. It entered Soviet airspace at the correct point and flew, without further trouble, to Moscow.

The plane never crossed into Soviet airspace at Sakhalin and the interceptor jets apparently did not come closer than about 30 miles.

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Caller Says 42 Reported Dead in Bogotá Fighting U.S. Captives (Continued from Page 1) from the April 19, 1970, presidential election that dissidents claim In Lebanon

Were Killed

(Continued from Page 1)

against the headquarters of the Pal-

estine Liberation Organization in

Tunisia three days before. A

threatened to kill the other Ameri-

can captives and also to kidnap

They demanded that in return for freeing the American hostages, the United States should put pres-

sure on Kuwait to free 17 funds-

mentalists convicted for a series of bomb attacks there in December

The organization is believed to

holding five other Americans: Ter-

ry A. Anderson, the chief Middle

East correspondent of The Associ-

ated Press; Lawrence Martin

Jenco, a Roman Catholic priest;

Peter Kilburn, a librarian at the

American University of Beirut;

Thomas M. Sutherland, the univer-

sity's dean of agriculture, and Da-

university hospital.

vid Jacobsen, the director of the

The caller said that Islamic Jihad

Last Sept. 29, an anonymous

caller telephoned a Western news

agency with a message that the

Americans were to be produced at

a news conference. The conference

The claim that the Americans

A group calling itself the Islamic

Liberation Organization claimed

responsibility for the abductions

Lagos to Reduce Staff Abroad

LAGOS - Nigeria announced

Wednesday it was decreasing its

diplomatic staff abroad by 30 per-

cent as part of austerity measures

put into effect by the military gov-

Lagos Radio report.

ernment last month, according to a

had been killed came a week after

never materialized, however.

would release a videotape of the

hostages before they were shot.

more Americans to have their wish-

the corpse of Mr. Buckley.

was fraudulent. An anonymous caller who telephoned radio station RCN played

a tape recording that declared that the rebels had seized the Justice Ministry "in the name of peace and

social justice." Last June, the M-19 rebels broke a truce with government security forces that had lasted for nearly a

blurred photograph of a dead man was later released to the Lebanese media, and the faction said it was Thursday said 17 people had been killed and 34 wounded in fighting that began Wednesday when guer-On Sept. 14, another hostage, the rillas raided and seized control of Reverend Benjamin Weir, a Presthe five-story, block-long federal byterian minister, was freed after court building in the heart of this lé months in captivity. He said at a news conference

capital city. Hundreds of people were in the after returning to the United States building Wednesday when the re-bels raided it, including Supreme that his abductors had asked him to urge the administration of Presi-Court judges who have their offices dent Ronald Reagan to meet the demands of the kidnappers as soon as possible. He said his captors had

Hours later, assault troops backed by armored vehicles braved

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches

ghan guerrilla sources claimed Thursday that dozens of soldiers

were killed last month when ethnic

Asian troops in a Soviet unit in

the sources said. The fighting went

ethnic Russian troops.

ISLAMABAD, Pakistan — Af-

on for most of the day, they said. The sources said their reports were based on guerrilla reports from Kunduz and an account from a witness who had just arrived in

Afghans Say Asian Soviet Troops Revolted

side. Scores of captives, including

10 judges, were freed by late

took part in the operation.

ly Thursday morning after guerril-

las set fire to sections of the build-

ing, apparently to destroy court

Caracol radio stations said M-19

was demanding to talk with Presi-

dent Betancur at the building and

Afghanistan revolted and fought provide any other evidence. The account supplied by the guerrilla sources said that ethnic The sources, who declined to be identified, said the clash broke out Tajik troops had been receiving after an Asian soldier was put to drugs from local guerrilla units and that one of them was persuaded or death in early October in Kunduz province in northern Afghanistan. forced to plant a land mine in a Up to 80 soldiers were killed as Soviet base. The mine went off and rebels battled loval troops with the soldier was cantured and killed by Soviet troops, they said. heavy machine guns and mortars,

Tajik troops, angered over their

fought ethnic Russian troops who were called in to suppress them, the sources said.

The report suggested that Moscow had resumed sending central Asian soldiers to the north despite earlier fears they might sympathize with the local population because they came from the same ethnic background.

Moscow initially sent many central Asian soldiers into Afghanistan when it intervened there in 1979 but soon withdrew them. (AP, UPI)

submachine-gun fire and surged in- guerrillas wanted Colombian radio stations and state-controlled television channels to give the rebels an hour a day for an undetermined time to present their views.

At 2 A.M. Thursday, armored Thursday's army communique vehicles began laying down an hour of machine-gun and cannon fire. said the 17 persons killed included Cannon fire punched half a dozen a soldier, four police, two civilians holes in the ministry's marble faand 10 guerrillas. It said 20 civil-

ians and 14 police were wounded. Soldiers cautiously advanced Radio RCN quoted witnesses as again into the ministry. But flames saying guerrillas, packed inside a kept them from reaching the fourth stolen telephone company truck, floor, according to a soldier who had driven into the court building's parking lot, leaped out and charged Fire swept through the five-story through an entrance, shouting building Wednesday night and ear-

Viva Colombia!" Hundreds of soldiers and police then surrounded the building con-taining courtrooms and offices of Tape recordings played Wednes-day in telephone calls to RCN and Colombia's 24 Supreme Court judges and 20 other federal judges.

President Betancur and his cabinet met in a 12-hour emergency session at the presidential palace that Colombian newspapers pub-lish the text of a rebel communique. 300 yards from the Palace of Jus-tice. No details of the meeting were

tages, including 16 ambassa-

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ENTERTAINMENT

Rebels Belong

To Leftist M-19

The Associated Press

BOGOTA — The guerrillas who seized Colombia's Justice

Palace are members of a leftist

insurgent group that broke a

truce with the government last June, accusing President Beli-

sario Betaneur of not delivering

The M-19, or April 19 Move-

ment, takes its name from the

date of a 1970 presidential elec-

tion that dissidents said was

In 1979, the guerrillas

stunned the Colombian mili-

tary with a raid on an army

arsenal in the Bogota area in

which they made off with 5,000

weapons. A year later, an M-19

unit shot its way into the Do-minican Republic's embassy in

Bogota and took dozens of hos-

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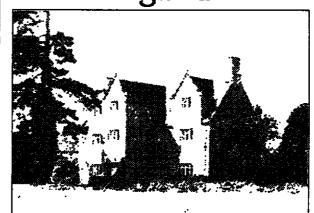
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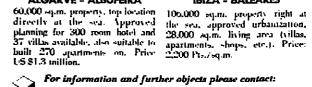
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Blaming the Messenger

The new curbs that South Africa has imposed on reporting of the country's sorrows and disorders will hinder the world's understanding. Worse, they may prolong them. The huge, rebellious black majority lacks for any real communication in that deeply divided society. Independent press accounts have offered about the only public outlet for their grievances. To curtail is to inflame.

Henceforth journalists working in South Africa will need police permission to report on disturbances in non-white areas covered by a three-month-old emergency decree. Unless they agree to a police escort, reporters may face up to 10 years in prison for covering anything from stone-throwing and school boycotts to work stoppages. Without permission no person may photograph, record or even sketch what is happening in these areas for dissemination within or outside the republic.

This blinkering will not affect South Africa's state television, whose reporting of racial conflict is routinely sanitized. It will somewhat inhibit South African newspapers, already hobbled by censorship. But the real target is foreign journalists, especially foreign television. The new restraints, depending on how they are enforced, could seal South Africa's black townships from outside scrutiny.

Verifiable reports of unrest have caused skittish foreign investors to pull back from South Africa. Lack of verifiable accounts risks something worse - rumor, exaggeration and anger. The Pretoria regime accuses the news media of inciting violence. Crowds surely do behave differently when the cameras are rolling, and people who mobilize crowds know television's magnifying, electrifying effect.
Television coverage of police mailing unarmed demonstrators has struck apartheid where it burts: on the world's evening news. But banning cameras will not restore social peace. Nor will it enhance a beleaguered regime's credibility, at home or abroad.

President P.W. Botha has yet to find solid political ground between those who clamor for reform and extremists who have just beaten his National Party in a parliamentary by-election. Unable to build a consensus for reform within South Africa and angry at the world press for showing how much it is needed, he now blames the messenger for the message. The message. however, reverberates: Fire!

- THE NEW YORK TIMES.

The Yurchenko Affair

The turnabout of Vitaly Yurchenko drives stunned observers to the full range of theories created to deal with the murk of espionage. Always a favorite is a theory of Soviet wizardry which holds, in this instance, that the KGB cleverly planned the defection and redefection of one of its elite officials to embarrass the CIA or to weaken Ronald Reagan's summit hand. Another is that Mr. Yurchenko was caught up in the peculiar confusion of motives and roles to which, if the spy novels have it right, people in the business of deception are especially prone. A third theory is that in the last year or so a cataclysm in the whole system of international espionage has created among agents and intelligence services a pervasive sense of insecurity, of familiar moorings being lost, and has resulted in a series of defections and unmaskings that may not yet have come to an end. A fourth school holds that Mr. Yurchenko was not nearly so big a fish as was

generally supposed when he was caught. You do not have to be able to plumb the depths of this case on the Soviet side, however, to have disturbing questions about the manner in which it was handled on the American side. From the first exultant leaks to the press about the catch of a blue-chip defector, to the glee freely expressed in the resultant sure discomfort of the KGB, the CIA and those influenced

by its briefings in Congress and elsewhere have acted in a strangely incautious and amateurish way. It is not clear that professional procedures to ascertain the bona fides of a defector, and to retain the confidence of this difficult breed, were followed closely. Early on, according to what has been reported. Mr. Yurchenko enjoyed cozy meetings in a social setting with the CIA's brass. Somehow a ranking Soviet officer still in the stage of debriefing was watched so laxly that he could make his way to a Soviet haven in Washington.

Mr. Yurchenko, in his press conference on Monday, had every reason to give a report that he thought might ease his passage home in what are bound to be severe circumstances. His observations on the way he was treated by his temporary American hosts have to be taken skeptically. People who do the work he chose can have no illusions about the unforgiving nature of the world they inhabit.

We understand that there are facts and relationships that have to be held secret in these matters. But Americans also need a reliable explanation of what happened in this apparently unprecedented case. They need to know how the CLA let itself be made a fool of in so incredible a fashion, and how responsibility for it is to be assumed — and by whom.

- THE WASHINGTON POST.

Other Opinion

Before the Summit. Yurchenko

Having first taken the propaganda initiative, the Russians now appear to be playing down the summit prospects. Yet both sides are wise enough to know that as far as Western Europe is concerned this is no longer, if it ever was, a propaganda battle but a genuine argument about matters of substance. There will be some weariness if the main endeavor is to cast the blame on the other side.

It seems just possible that the carefully staged [Vitaly] Yurchenko demarche was part of a process of blame distribution, should that prove necessary in two weeks time. If so it was not a success. Rather than seek to embarrass each other, the two sides could better spend the remaining interval on sweetening rather than souring the atmosphere.

- The Guardian (London).

When the KGB man held his press conference, the CIA inexcusably froze, giving the Russians a propaganda field day with a phony charge that one of their men had been kidnapped and tortured, and had heroically escaped from a restaurant in Georgetown. Belatedly, friends of the CIA are fanning out all over town to assure us that poor Vitaly was merely a heartbroken lover, rejected by a Soviet diplomat's wife who was willing to play

around with a KGB colonel but not a defector. Critics of the CIA say that the KGB man was not properly "nurtured" by his handlers, and that if he had been pampered and loved he would never have "changed his mind."

Both theories overlook the fact that this spy is a trained liar who long ago chose deception as a way of life. In the grand tradition of Yuri Nosenko, he was a fake defector. He came over to make America's spooks look like saps and titillate the FBI with dark hints about congressional aides. Presumably he has discredited

polygraph tests for years to come. Task force chief Colin Thompson should

have given him a rigorous, skeptical debriefing, and quarantined him on suspicion of carrying contagious disinformation. The slim pickings offered, and the Russian's failure to supply the names of assets known to have reported to him in Canada, should have set off warning bells: instead he was embraced and touted in the worst example of CIA naïvetė since William Colby fired James Angleton and vouched for the planted Yuri Nosenko. No wonder so many of us suspect that Mount Alto moles burrow where orchids used to grow.

Hard Times for Oil Exporters

- Columnist William Safire.

Times are hard for oil producers, Every producer, it seems, has its own special need for increasing production. Topping the list is probably Mexico, which has a billion-dollar earthquake repair bill. The Iranians and Iraois are still at each other's throats and thus sell indiscriminately to anyone. Nigeria is cashstarved. Britain is running its North Sea wells dry and could collapse once its reserves are used up, a study on the economy's future recently said. Malaysia is in similar straits.

Compared with others, the country's problems seem mild. But oil production will increase by 18 percent next year to maintain its share to government revenue.

Although OPEC still has an official selling price, the fact is that OPEC's official price structure bears no resemblance to reality today. [Therefore] OPEC members have no choice but to stick to the agreed 16 million barrels per day in order to protect the market. Declining oil prices mean revenue shortfalls and less development among developing oil producers. For financially strapped countries such as Mexico, Nigeria and Indonesia, it means further difficulties in repaying debts, and more protectionism. In the end all will lose, oil producers and consumers alike.

— The Business Times (Kuala Lumpur).

FROM OUR NOV. 8 PAGES, 75 AND 50 YEARS AGO

1910: Chinese Demand a Parliament PEKING - Ten thousand students paraded with bands and lanterns, shouting "banzais" for the Constitution, the Emperor and China [on Nov. 7], in celebration of the decree granting an earlier convening of Parliament than was at first intended. The enthusiasm shown was not, however, reflected in the provincial assembly, the Tzuchengyuan. The formal reception of the Imperial edict precipitated a heated debate. Speeches of provincial members revealed disappointment that Parliament is not to open earlier than 1913. The keynote of the speeches was that the convening of Parliament is essential if China is to escape Corea's fate. Leading members hotly demanded that the Government show how it hopes to protect

Manchuria during the ensuing three years.

1935: Spread of African War Feared DJIBOUTI, French Somaliland - The problem confronting France and England in this part of the world is the possible spread of the Italo-Abyssinian conflict. Opinion in British and French Somaliland is that Premier Mussolini's program is so definitely outlined that he is committed to action which may lead to serious incidents. England is making certain she will not be caught by surprise. Protection has been assured from the Sudan to Somaliland and even to Kenya. She has increased 20fold her air force in the Sudan and has added to the number of planes patrolling the Eritrean and Libyan frontiers. Defenses in the Suez and the Mediterranean have been reinforced, while at the southern end of the Red Sea England is also prepared to combat any warlike moves.

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Development Works in the Third World

OPENHAGEN — The West is more atten-tive these days to the twin demons of famine and the debt crisis than to the continuing Third World drama of development, Yet development is the best hope for overcoming those demons.

It is fashionable among skepties in the West to assert that development aid has been a waste. That charge ignores a striking change that such aid has brought about in the Third World what Bradford Morse, the American who heads the United Nations Development Program, calls the "release of human energy."

It is not merely that people are living longer and are in better health, nor even that literacy is on the rise. Nor is it only a question of more dams and roads being built. In the 35 years since the West began pumping what now amounts to an estimated \$500 billion into development assistance, there has come about a significant change in attitude among Third Worlders.

A new self-reliance is evident to those of us who travel in the Third World. Western aid has created a sharp increase in the capacity of people to absorb technology. And so, while Third World governments may owe a trillion dollars to Western financial institutions, at the grass roots there is greater confidence among people in their own capacity to change their living conditions.

Another significant change is a growing con-viction that private enterprise and the market economy are far better tools for economic growth than state socialism. The development experience suggests that virtually every socialist attempt at economic progress in the Third World has failed conspicuously. The ultimate triumph

of market-oriented capitalism may be near. During recent travels I have seen confirmed By Pranay Gupte

practitioners of state-run socialism -- such as Burma, China and Tanzania - embarking on liberalization of their economies, a startling remodeling based if not on the concept of laissezfaire then at least on a system of incentives. Why has this development story not received

the sort of attention it merits? Why, when the subject is raised, is one likely to hear that devel-opment is just a license for Third World types to buy fancy cars and pay themselves fat, tax-free salaries in international agencies?

Scores of officials from development agencies
— including the World Bank, the UN Development Program and UNICEF — met in Copenhagen this week to examine such questions. They agreed that part of their problem was that development agencies usually tell their stories only to others in the development community - preaching to the converted. The age of propaganda has ended and the "development story" needs to be told in sharp, human terms. Millions of lives have been affected for the better. It is a believable story that needs to be told believably.

Attending their meetings, an observer was struck by the candor. Participants did not gloss over the perceived failures of "development." They took into account criticism that the original United Nations development mandate was at worst innocuous and at best mildly benign.

They discussed criticism that the UN develop ment machinery often substitutes international bureaucracy for real projects. A frequent charge has been that funding mechanisms and gover-nance systems sometimes insulate multilateral

aid administration, particularly within the Unit-ed Nations family, from effective accountability. All the same, these experts voiced a belief that when you look at the grass roots you find the development process to be working — working in different cadences and at different speeds, to be sure, but in a way that gives cause for hope not

only to aid recipients but also to the donors.

The people of the Third World no longer seem to be saying. "Give us more." They are reforming their systems and mining more to themselves for innovative methods to ensure development.

But the Third World does expect continued understanding from the West: less protectionism and a more effective way to tackle the debt crisis, perhaps through debt adjustment so that poor countries will have money for internal development. The Third World is pointing out that the international debt crisis will not be resolved unless Third World economies keep growing.

Another message from Copenhagen is that

donor countries cannot hope to keep throwing money at emergency situations. Such aid is needed now, but it is no substitute for long-term development. The solution is to help the Third World promote further development so that the root causes of emergencies such as famine poor food distribution and rampant population growth, for example — are tackled effectively. Development is the only worthwhile answer for the long term. And it has been shown to work.

The writer, author of "Vengeance: India After the Assassination of Indira Gandhi," is completing a book on the impact of development programs in the Third World. He contributed this comment to the International Herald Tribune.

A Historic Chance Because Moscow Needs Détente

By Stephen F. Cohen

PRINCETON. New Jersey — If the United States really wants to improve political relations with the Soviet Union and end the nuclear arms race, the Geneva summit will be a historic opportunity. The reason is not that the Soviet Union has suddenly become a benign or like-minded superpower but that, as Mikhail Gorbachev has made clear repeatedly, his foreign policy is an extension of domestic policy: To carry out his program of reform at home, he needs detente and arms control abroad. None of this is acknowledged by the Reagan administration, which

seems to have an acute case of cold war myopia about developments inintroduce, among other things, a conside the Soviet Union. Ever since Mr. siderably larger role for private enter-Gorbachev became general secretary in March, it has portrayed him as a slicker but traditional Soviet apparatchik, and his policy statements as nothing but "public relations." In reality, everything indicates that

N EW YORK — Mikhail Gorba-chev has one major asset as he

prepares for Geneva: The West is

continuing to see what it wants to see

in Soviet policy and behavior. As-

sumptions, not Soviet reality, are the

primary basis for Western conclu-

sions. Evidence that contradicts

those assumptions is ignored.

By any objective standard, the new

Soviet leader should be coming to

Geneva as the weaker of the two

parties. But Western failure to ana-

lyze Soviet weaknesses will allow him

to bargain with Rouald Reagan from

a perceived position of equality. Soviet officials are themselves of-

ten astounded by the ease of their

victories in getting Westerners to see

only what they want them to see.

Many Western visitors pose no chal-

lenge whatsoever. From the intellec-tuals who praised the wonders of the

Soviet penal system in the 1930s to

Billy Graham, who came to the Sovi-

et Union in the 1980s and marveled

at the religious freedom, Western vis-

itors have demonstrated an infinite

Russians who participate in fo-

rums of East-West cooperation are

generally accepted on the terms they

hoose for themselves. Thus, the No-

bel Peace Prize Committee apparent-

y saw little difference between Dr.

Yevgeny Chazov, co-founder of this

year's prize-winning group, Interna-

tional Physicians for the Prevention

of Nuclear War, and his fellow doc-

tors in the West, who are moved by

their individual concerns about the

arms race. The committee overlooked

the fact that Dr. Chazov represents a

regime and a medical establishment

- he is deputy minister of health, a

member of the Communist Party's

Central Committee and a personal

physician to Soviet leaders - that

have for years been dispatching

members of the one small, indepen-

dent Soviet peace group to psychiat-

Western politicians, both liberal

and conservative, are also prone to

selective perception when it serves

their interests. During the 1980 presi-

dential campaign, Ronald Reagan opposed Jimmy Carter's grain em-

bargo on the grounds that it hurt only

American farmers, not the Soviet

The opinion column "Summit Syn-

drome: Reagan Must Beware" (Nov.

6), by Daniel Schorr, contained an

error. It was President Truman who

attended the Potsdam conference,

not President Roosevelt.

Correction

ric hospitals and labor camps.

capacity for self-deception.

LIVE ACTION

Mr. Gorbachev is the first reformminded Soviet leader since Nikita Khrushchev in the 1950s. Even before taking office, he pointedly identified himself with the reformist wing of the party, calling for "deep trans-formations" in the state economic system. Since March he has outlined a far-reaching decentralization of industrial management and curtailment of ministerial control, while declaring that "more major, important decisions" are still to come. If recent proposals in Pravda and Izvestia are an indication, those decisions may

prise and market relations. Such reforms will not bring capitalism or democracy to the Soviet Union, but they will, inescapably, entail liberalizing changes in various areas. They may not alter the situa-

But Gorbachev Has the Weaker Hand

By Andrew Nagorski

Union. Moscow was happy to agree

with this assessment, never explain-

ing why it was so infuriated by an

embargo that allegedly had no im-

least initially, the embargo seriously disrupted shipping and inland trans-

port while Moscow scrambled to line

up alternative suppliers, and that this deepened an already serious food cri-

sis. Mr. Reagan chose to ignore such

Today Mr. Gorbachev can look

strong because Westerners choose to view him as strong. He and his agen-

da for the summit meeting have dom-

inated Western press reports in re-cent weeks. The official part of this

agenda is his crusade against "star

wars." The unofficial part is his pre-

sentation of himself as a new breed of

Soviet leader. For the most part the

West has been beguiled by this image.
To be sure, Mr. Gorbachev has

inherited a system with proven

strengths. It maintains highly effec-tive mechanisms of repression, based

on the lasting legacy of wholesale terror. Since his ascension, four dissi-

dents are known to have died in labor

camps, and administrative proce-

dures for confining others to mental

Centralized planning allows the

en the economic base shows

state to concentrate its resources as it

wishes, particularly on the military,

signs of decay. But Mr. Gorbachev

and his planners know how wide-

spread that decay already is. The

East-West technology gap is steadily

growing, no matter how much tech-

nology the KGB manages to steal

from the West. A sullen population

can be forced to dig tunnels for the

Moscow subway but not to produce

The bureaucracy remains pro-

foundly ambivalent about advanced

technology, both coveting it and fear-ing its potential. In a society where a

Xerox machine is considered a dan-

gerous weapon, the idea of giving

ordinary citizens broad access to

computers, with the information they

can provide, is profoundly unsettling.

Gorbachev in Geneva? His first pri-

ority is to block "star wars" because it raises the specter of a Western spurt in technology that could leave his system in the dust. He probably

does not truly fear that the develop-

ment of "star wars" would tempt the

West to make a first strike, but he has

to be frightened by the prospect of a

What should be expected from Mr.

the next generation of computers.

hospitals have been simplified.

evidence for electoral reasons.

pact. But there was evidence that, at

tion of active dissidents, but they will improve the everyday life of millions of ordinary citizens and, by easing the political atmosphere and specifically censorship, respond to the aspi-rations of thousands of intellectuals and artists. Mr. Gorbachev may be preparing to pick up the Khrushchev banner of official de-Stalinization, as suggested in September by two prominent anti-Stalinist publications by Yevgeny Yevtushenko, a beliwether

of that long-suppressed cause. But these internal possibilities stand no chance without a significant improvement in U.S.-Soviet relations for two fundamental reasons.

First, economic reforms will require major new investments in nondefense sectors, especially consumer-related industries. Given the laggardly rate of Soviet economic growth, such expenditures will be im-

possible unless military spending can be reduced or at least frozen. That will require an end to the strategic weapons race. It certainly precludes anything as costly as President Rea-

gan's "star wars" program. Second, Mr. Gorbachev needs detente-like relations if he is to become a strong reform leader in the deeply conservative Soviet system. He has brought reform-minded officials into the top leadership, and he recently ousted two opponents of economic change, Prime Minister Nikolai Tikhonov and the longtime Gosplan chief, Nikolai Baibakov. But he must overcome widespread protests, in the party elite and the state bureaucracy, that even modest decentralization and liberalization are too dangerous because of a "growing American threat." Better relations with Western Europe, Japan and China, which the Gorbachev leadership is also promising cannot solve this central problem. In official Soviet eyes, America

is the source of the arms race. Despite these compelling domestic factors behind Mr. Gorbachev's appeals for a "revival of detente," he will not come to Geneva as a supplicant. Although eager to negotiate political and military agreements, be will be "tough," as the American cliche goes, partly because all leaders of because of his special position as the Soviet Union's youngest and most Westernized leader in 60 years.

Those personal traits, along with his reform program, have aroused resentment among old-line conservatives who have been heard to refer to him derisively as malchik, or "the kid." Such attitudes no doubt motivated Andrei Gromyko's unusual assurance to the Central Committee: Comrades, this man has a nice smile

but he's got iron teeth." If met by a conciliatory President Reagan, Mr. Gorbachev can show his teeth back home simply by insisting on U.S. recognition of the Soviet Union's right to equal political status in world affairs. Granted that, Mr. Gorbachev will negotiate at Geneva in accord with his domestic imperative that substantially improved rela-

tions are "extremely necessary."

At stake is the political agenda of a new generation of Soviet officials. Unable to claim credit for the great achievements of the past, from industrialization and the defeat of Nazi Germany to the nation's rise to superpower status, they may seek their generational destiny in reform at home instead of more power abroad.

If the Reagan administration fails to seize this opportunity for a new and possibly lasting detente, it will be saying that the United States prefers cold war and a nuclear arms race.

The writer is professor of politics at Princeton University and a frequent nmentator on Soviet affairs.

WASHINGTON — Vitaly Yur-chenko is lying. The Soviet inrelligence agent says he was "forcibly abducted" last August in Rome by the CIA brought "unconscious" to the United States, "forced to take some drugs" during his debriefing and then, "due to a momentary lapse of attention" of his case officers, given a chance on Saturday to "break out to freedom and come to the Sovi-

The Dupe

Might Be

By Allan E. Goodman

Yurchenko 🕫

et Embassy" in Washington.
Those claims have absolutely no & basis in fact. U.S. intelligence services rarely encourage defections, and never do so by the use of force and drugs. The CLA would much rather persuade the potential defector to remain in place; once someone defects, his or her connection to information dries up. While Soviet defectors often disclose much-needed details about past KGB methods and operations, the days of scoops on current information are over.

Once in the United States, defectors are handled with kid gloves. Drugs, especially, are anathema, To use drugs would deprive the United States of the all-important high ground in espionage, discourage others from working for America and call into question any information derived from a defector's debriefing.

To succeed, debriefers need to es-tablish a relationship of trust so as to draw out the most detailed picture possible of the intelligence group with which the defector worked

All this cannot be pleasant for the defector, who knows that he or she is an object of contempt not only in the country betrayed but in the new one as well. The strain of escape, the permanent severing of family and cultural bonds and the endless hours of debriefing take their toll. None of that was evident on Mr.

Yurchenko's face in front of the cameras at his press conference in the Soviet Embassy. He was poised. His indignant metoric about American "kidusppers" was, I suspect, meant to play well in Europe and the Third World on the eve of the U.S.-Soviet summit, at which Soviet human rights violations are to be discussed.

In short, I think that he was a plant, and that his debriefers probahly saspected him of being one. He would have done better to look a little more bewildered, hung over, mistreated, to make his case convincing.

What happened is probably this: Mr. Yurchenko, a senior KGB officer, believed that he had convinced U.S. intelligence operatives in Rome that he wished to defect. They played along, reserving judgment until he voluntarily entered U.S. territory.

There may have been some early process if Mr. Yerchenko implicated U.S. personnel who appeared to have been working for Soviet intelligence. But the subscopent hours of debriefing must have convinced U.S. experts that he was not genuine.

How he got away from U.S. intelli-gence officers and to the Soviet Embassy is anybody's guess, but I think officials were suspicious enough to tempt him into running. And he did.

The KGB will not be pleased with Mr. Yurchenko's performance. He could not have learned much in a month to add to what the Soviet intelligence service already knows about the CIA and how it handles defectors. He probably did scare So-viet agents in the United States whose cover might have been shaky. He certainly scared Soviet agents who know the KGB's willingness to expose low-level operatives in order to establish a plant as bona fide.

Mr. Yurchenko will probably return to Moscow to a much-publicized hero's welcome - and ostracism by his colleagues, then early retirement. I would not be a bit surprised to learn some months from now that an allegedly despondent Vitaly Yurchenko is in a Soviet mental institution and will never be heard from again.

at Georgetown University's School of Foreign Service. He joined the CIA in 1975, and in 1979-80 was the presidential briefing coordinator for the agen-cy's director. He contributed this com-

Union as an "evil empire." Russian commentators repeat the phrase so often that it has become part of the popular language. A national culture known for its anxiety is unlikely to toss off this sort of evidence. I heard the phrase repeated everywhere. It is offered as evidence that America does not want and will not encourage détente or significant arms reduction.

because it is not accurate.

the world leader in the science of conflict resolution. A review of labormanagement policies and practices would indicate that Americans are masters at nonviolent negotiation. Universities offer courses in negotiat-

institutions and have become an impressive made-in-U.S.A. product.

His timing seems off. Mikhail Gorbachev is the first Soviet leader since the revolution who can be called an educated man in the classic sense. His two university degrees, his worldliways world opinion is formed set him apart from his predecessors. Not only cation that he refuses to communicate, he can be counted on to take the

why Mr. Reagan refuses out of hand The Soviet Union and the United gan appears to want the world to believe that the shoe has changed

I do not mean to oversimplify the

only on the negotiating path that Mr. Reagan must be seen to take.

America has historically been a framer of such first steps, but today it has lost the initiative. There is still time to regain it. There is time to end the name-calling and replace the stone wall of rhetoric with a tapestry of proposals for creative disarmament. In so doing, the United States will be acting in its best tradition one which has given America a global image that is now in need of some redemption. The world has historically looked to America as the most effective sponsor of systems for con-flict resolution. If Mr. Gorbachev continues to make all the proposals and President Reagan continues to bang his shoe, the world will begin drawing different conclusions.

JOHN P. DUNFEY. Hampton, New Hampshire.

In Stockholm at the end of a business trip through China, the Soviet Union and Scandinavia, I came upon your Sept. 30 edition in which a letter to the editor implied that Armand Hammer was a collaborationist — a Trojan horse." Nothing could be wish to say the same of many other business magnates, corporation executives and lesser executives, not to mention presidents, secretaries of state and ambassadors. Naturally, nations as well as businesses act in

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR tion are created in these and other and it is a crisis that can be resolved

There's Business to Do

to The New York Times.

diminution of the intimidating power

of the Soviet military. The longer-

term goal is likely to be to convince

the West that it should share its tech-nology, thereby helping Moscow re-

This gives the West an opportunity

for some tough bargaining. Any progress toward an agreement should be

conditioned on progress on arms con-

trol but also on human rights, Af-ghanistan and Poland. Mr. Reagan's speech at the UN General Assembly

on regional conflicts was a start to-

ward broadening the summit agenda.

The writer is chief of Newsweek's Bonn bureau and author of "Reluctant

Farewell: An American Reporter's

Candid Look Inside the Soviet.

Union." He contributed this comment

solve its high-tech dilemma.

Along with a chance to meet Russian people. American visitors to the Soviet Union get an opportunity to see America from fresh perspectives. For example, I found the view of President Reagan from the streets and on the television screens of Moscow as enlightening as our delega-tion's visit to the Kremlin or our conference with a panel that included a Soviet general. As a member of a traveling group that included two U.S. congressmen, a journalist and arms control negotiators, I return from Russia with an impression of Ronald Reagan as a leader who says nyet and little else when it comes to dialogue with his Soviet counterparts.

Perhaps he underestimates the ef-fect of his definition of the Soviet

This image of my country concerns me for several reasons, but primarily The United States is historically

ing skills; patterns for conflict resolu-

This is one export we need never limit. To judge from his past performances, however, President Reagan has moved creative negotiation to the top of the list of products prohibited

for export to the Soviet Union. ness and his comprehension of the can he be expected to avoid any indiinitiative, to make offers that will have many Americans wondering

States have made progress since the days when Nikita Khrusachev took off a shoe and used it to pound for attention at the United Nations. But too often these days President Reahands. The posture is counterproductive, and becomes more so as the date further from the truth, unless you

negotiation process. Both as a businessman and as one of many individuals who helped frame proposals for the U.S. Institute of Peace, I am aware of the complexities and difficulties inherent in reaching any significant agreement. But today we have a planetary crisis on our hands

their own best interests. But, please, no accusations of empatriotism.

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Herald Eribune.

Foie Gras Frais de Canard to Go? The Lofty Tour d'Argent Establishes A Grocery Outpost at Street Level

ARIS — He wears a blue cornflower in his lapel ("I would feel naked without it") as if it were a touch of imperial purple, and why not? Claude Terrail can trace the history of the Tour d'Argent, his three-star restaurant, back four centuries, and his maternal grandfather was the proprietor of the Café Anglais, a famous 19th-century restaurant mentioned by Proust and domain of the great and unapproachable chef Adolphe Dugléré of the sole of that name.

Terrail's eye is vigilant, his waistline slim despite 40 years in his tower, his dress impeccable; his charm is both as crisp and as unctuous as his famous canard pressé and his flourishes as expansive as a Château Lafite '45.

Why on earth would such a man want to become a grocer?

For the truth is that right across the street from the Tour d'Argent, at 2 Rue Cardinal-Lemoine, there is now a shop called Les Comptoirs de la Tour d'Argent that sells edibles under the Tour d'Argent

MARY BLUME

label and also Claude Terrail napery, pergnoirs and neckties decorated with sitting ducks or silver towers. Not the sort of cravat that Mr. Terrail would be caught dead in.

His own necktie is elegantly tachiste. "It's four years old, I could hardly expect people to buy something that old, could I?" Sometimes fondant wouldn't melt in his mouth.

He has gone into groceries, he explains, for a sole reason: to protect the Tour's customers. The shop across the street became vacant and, fearing that a low-class restaurant might open whose customers would offend his own with uncouth words and gestures. he promptly decided to take over the premises. Now not only can his guests descend from his fastness without fear of running an unsightly and unmannerly gantlet, but they can also, as Mr. Terrail puts it. "leave Paris with a foie gras frais de canard tucked under their arm to eat in Hong Kong or New York or Timbuktu."

The duck and goose livers at the Comptoirs are prepared under the supervision of the Tour's chef, Dominique Bouchet, and are the only

Some people talk about a return to the source. I talk about a return to the sauce. I am for sauces because I am a restaurateur. Otherwise everyone might as well stay home and eat porridge,' says Claude Terrail.

fresh foodstuffs available, the rest being bottled or canned. The prices range from eight francs for 50 grams of Dijon mustard to 17,000 francs for a bottle of Fine Clos du Griffier 1788.

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There are 22 kinds of tea, 14 jams, 9 olive oils, 4 honeys, a vinaigrette française salad dressing every bit as good as Paul Newman's and canned Sauce Montmorency, canned Sauce Mazarine and canned Sauce Marco Polo.

The Sance Marco Polo can be served with poultry, meat, shellfish and fish and is Mr. Terrail's pride and joy since it introduced Parisians to green peppercoms some 25 years before they became as

common as petit pois. "I defy anyone to tell the difference between this sauce and one made at the last minute!" says Mr. Terrail. "I have taken the gamble

and put my name at risk." He would not dream of selling meat to accompany his sauce. another well-done, another medium. It is not a responsibility I can take. My sauce awaits them --- they can prepare their chicken or meat. or fish as they wish.

"Some people talk about a return to the source. I talk about a return to the sauce. I am for sauces because I am a restaurateur. Otherwise everyone might as well stay home and eat porridge."

TNSTEAD of porridge, he would like to see them eat his foie gras d'oie truffé des Trois Empereurs (810 francs for 600 grams) as prepared for the first time by Duglere in October 1867, at the Dinner of the Three Emperors at the Café Anglais. The host was Terrail's grandfather, Claudius Burdel, the occasion was the Paris World's Fair, the three emperors were Wilhelm I, of Prussia, Czar Nicholas and the future Nicholas II (Bismarck also came along) and the foie gras became a classic. It must be eaten within two days but Terrail hopes eventually to have a preserved or semi-preserved

He is also going to have Claude Terrail chocolates by Christmastime, and until the fine weather changed he sold ice cream cones. at his 5-year-old son's suggestion, at five francs or nine francs for a double. His prices are not tower-high.

"The shops are a showcase for pretty things. The Tour d'Argent does well, thank God. If we sell enough to pay the rent, fine. But I wouldn't want it thought that Les Comptoirs de la Tour d'Argent are

Still, there is the inevitable comparison with Pierre Cardin who has spiashed his name on countless products and whose recently ac-



Claude Terrail and the view from the tower.

quired former three-star restaurant (it is no longer listed in the Michelin guide) Maxim's, has everything packaged under its label from spaghetti to sardines.

'Cardin is very intelligent," Terrail says. "The idea is the same. All I can say in all simplicity is that Maxim's hasn't a star and each time I s at risk. If Ma only so-so, it's not a drama. If I do something less than perfect, it is. That is the only difference. Cardin is certainly more intelligent than I am. He has boutiques, hotels, airplanes, things everywhere all

over the world. That's not my aim." There is no reason to disbelieve Terrail's view that his shop is a way of defending his tower and its guests from unruly oafs. On the side, it might inspire his guests to respond with proper dignity to his seigneurial welcome and to stop praching the coffee spoons ("Even the French do it," he sighs). These can now be purchased for 140 francs at the Comptoirs, as well as the frequently purloined Tour

ashtrays, which means that for only 25 francs a guest can leave the restaurant with a free conscience and without a suspicious bulge in MOSE who wish to economize on having a meal at the Tour but let the folks back home think they did, can spend 90 francs on an authentic Tour d'Argent menu rather than about 1,000

francs a person on an authentic Tour d'Argent dinner. Before the Paris venture, Terrail had already sold some prepared foods in Tokyo and the United States and he thinks the future may even be spacious enough to accommodate a Claude Terrail menswear line. Despite his disclaimers, it looks as if Terrail really is in business with his Comptoirs and after some hesitation he agrees that

"I think," he finally says, "that we shouldn't have complexes about being, as you call it, grocers. The Claude Terrail line — that's it, if we do it in good taste. After all," he states, "we are the creators of taste."

Sounds of Exotic Cultures **Enter Musical Mainstream**

by John Rockwell

EW YORK --- Ever since Western explorers ventured out beyoud the known limits of civilization, those back home have been fascinated by exotic cultures. In the late 19th century, at the height of colonialism, this fascination had begun to express itself overtly in Western art, so much so that the Museum of Modern Art here could mount a whole show last season documenting the influence of "primitive" art on the modernists. This influence has continued unabated (except for the disruptions of war) to the present day, and forms the bedrock for any attempt to explain the recent sharp increase in popularity of non-Western music in New York

and the West in general. In the colonial past. Westerners may have been titillated by the exotic, but they also looked down upon the arts of other cultures as lower on the evolutionary scale - or less imbued with divine grace — than their own. Today, shaken in our world-conquering selfconfidence, we are more willing — eager, even — to seek out the exotic for enlighten-

More and more Westerners, especially among the voung, seem to be yearning for alternatives to the drab normality of too much mainstream art. Non-Western arts in general, and music in particular, provide such alternatives — music that is overthy religious, tied to man's mystical aspirations and kinetic energies in a more direct yet mysterious way than our own music.

"I sense a bit of boredom in the music business in the West, both classical and popular," says Robert Browning, whose non-Western concerts at the tiny downtown Alternative Museum over the last decade laid the groundwork for his newly founded World Music Institute, designed to present such music on a broader scale. Browning adds that a healthy portion of his Alternative Museum audiences consisted of composers and musicians, mostly from the experimental, jazz and popular areas.

People want something new and different, something they aren't finding in West-ern art forms," suggests Peter Grilli, director of the performing arts program at the Japan

No city in the world can offer a wider variety of such exotic musical alternatives than New York. This week alone, Soh Daiko, a troupe specializing in Japanese drumming, will be at the Japan Society on Friday and Saturday nights. And on Saturday, Carnegie Hall will be the site of another of the many Festival of India presentations this season, this one an ambitious concert sponsored by Browning's World Music Institute. The program will feature Nikhil Banerjee, one of the masters of the sitar (the same ornately decorated, guitar-like instrument played by Ravi Shankar), as well as the hanivars, fol from the remote Thar Desert region of the northwestern Indian state of Rajasthan.

But these are the mere iceberg-tips that happen to be surfacing this week. New Yorkers are being positively deluged these days with concerts representing the high-art traditions of India, the Middle East, Indonesia, Japan and even, belatedly, China; with folk and popular music from Africa, Latin America and the Caribbean, and now, slowly, with noncommercial folk traditions from the entire planet. Sometimes, these musicians accompany dance or theater troupes. But more and more often, they appear here on their

The big troupes and the smaller musical groups appear not just in major midtown spaces. They also frequent the new downtown Triplex Theater, where the World Music Institute is offering the bulk of its concerts. And now there are several glamorous spaces consecrated to non-Western performers, chief among them the Asia Society, whose fancy new building on Park Avenue at 70th Street, completed in 1981, includes a lovely 258-seat basement theater, and the Japan Society, whose handsome building near the United Nations contains a 279-seat Nikhil Banerjee, a master of the sitar.

theater that is being used more and more for performances of traditional Japanese arts -like the Soh Daiko troupe.

The present popularity of non-Western concerts was preceded by what seems now to have been an anticipatory burst of interest in in the late 1960s, sparked by the Beatles' involvement with all things Indian. Shankar suddenly found himself a star of the counterculture, to his considerable bemusement.

While that mass popularity faded by the early 70s, it seems in retrospect to have helped provide the foundation for today's more sophisticated audience. Partly that is because a generation that had its interest piqued in the late '60s studied the music seriously and is now coming into positions of influence within the presenting organizations and in the media.

A growing number of Westerners have attended ethnomusicology courses — both the academic study of non-Western music and, more strikingly, its actual performance. Ethnomusicologists were also primarily responsible for the easy availability of non-Western music on recordings, especially the popular Nonesuch Explorer series. Ethnomusicology students have come to the fore in such academic bodies as the American Insti-tute of Indian Studies, which organized the American tour of the folk musicians at Carnegie Hall Saturday. Or they have founded or taken over actual performing or present-

NE example is Browning, the Englishman widely credited as the catalytic force behind the current popularity of non-Western concerts here. Another is Ralph Samuelson, an American expert on the shakuhachi, the Japanese flute. Samuelson is also associate director of the Asian Cultural Council, which funds artists' exchanges, and president of the Society for Asian Music, which offers a Sunday afternoon concert series at the Metropolitan Mu-

One other explanation for New York's growing centricity in world music lies in its growing world centricity. Other Western capitals — London or Paris, for example remain centers primarily for the kinds of non-Western music played in lands they once colonized. Thus Indian music flourishes in London and African music in Paris, partly because there are large ethnic communities there who want to hear the music of "the old country."

New York's ethnic communities span a wider range, probably, than those of any other Western city. There are Latins of every description here, Africans, Chinese, Japanese. Koreans, Iranians, Indians, Southeast Asians, enough people from the Caribbean to sustain huge annual festivals. And New York's approximation of a microcosm of the world's ethic variety has been made more exact in the past decade, with an enormous influx of Asian and Latin peoples.

Some of these immigrants were well-to-do in their homelands; others have risen on the economic scale once they got here. Browning estimates that at least half the audiences at his recent weekend of Triplex Theater concerts of Indian music came from the New York Indian community. Soh Daiko, the Japanese drummers, consist of members of the New York Japanese-American community. "There are second- and third-generation Americans who are trying to rediscover the cultural roots their parents turned their backs on," says Grilli.

It is not just a rise in the number of New. York outlets for foreign musicians that explains the recent increase in such concerts here. There is now a growing nationwide network of independent promoters (many within black or ethnic communities), universities and museums that can make extensive tours possible. And no one has done more to organize that network than Beate Gordon. the longtime director of the performing arts department at the Asia Society (that society at the outset as well as the Asian Cultural Council were funded by the late John D. Rockefeller 3d, whose role in the fostering of non-Western music here deserves special mention on its own). Gordon makes at least one extensive trip abroad each year to scout out new performers for the society and the country at large.

Such tours are facilitated by a new willingness by foreign governments and corporations to underwrite them. Japan, which Grilli says has grown increasingly sensitive to the need for international public relations, has the semi-governmental Japan Foundation for such purposes, and the similarly organized Indian Council for Cultural Relations in New Delhi has helped fund many of the Festival of India tours. National airlines will sometimes help with transportation. And in America, the Japan Society has actively solicited corporate support for major tours -

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Author's Become Public Figures as Dutch Fiction Booms

by Marlise Simons

MSTERDAM -- If a nation's reading habits are in any way a measure of its frame of mind, then the Netherlands is in a state of ebullience. Reports that Europe is slumped in cultural fatigue appear not to have reached here. Poets, playwrights and essayists have always had an audience in the Netherlands, but of late people have responded strongly to fiction writers in search of a new social cohesion. Not since the Eightiers, the Dutch modernist literary movement of the 1880s, have the novel and novelists carried such authority.

Dutch authors have become public figures and are called on to produce columns, speeches and interviews on a broad range of subjects, as though they were society's newly appointed arbiters. In the last few years, fiction (excluding crime novels, science fiction and romances) has jumped from 10 to 17 percent of total book sales. "More than before, people are buying Dutch writers, both the established names and the new people who are not writing from an ivory tower," said Laurens van Krevelen, the director of Meulenhoff, a leading literary publisher.

Some skeptics argue that all this activity is a superficial tread created by the media and its culturati. Writers and their private lives, this argument goes, are merely the latest distraction in a country with increasingly short working hours and high unemployment. Readers, it is said, are more likely to thumb through the new book supplements to keep up with belletristic charter than actually to read and finish the books.

But the buyers of fiction are mainly people between 18 and 30 years old, a new generation of readers for whom books appear to play an important role. "We have slowly dismantled our common ideals and beliefs," the novelist Kester Frenk said in one of the Amsterdam cafes that serve as literary salons. "Now we're seeing novels again that try to look for a philosophy, a vision, that do more

than hold up a mirror of society. The views of Frenk, who will be lecturing this year on Dutch literature at the University of Minnesota are shared by others who think artists have gained in authority

power, religion, the university, we've made everything more complex," Hans Maarten van den Brink, a respected literary critic, said. "People are searching again for coherence, but not from experts who make things more complicated. They are turning to the arts. Museum visits have increased enormously. And people are looking to writers for a synthesizing voice."

The young men and women writing fiction here are not exactly providing answers. But their work, varying widely in style and theme, has a new optimistic tone, a daring shift in a nation where optimism has long been seen as naïveté or opportunism. "The difference today is that it is slowly becoming acceptable again to write about ethics, values, to touch on religious ideas, to be lyrical about nature," Van den Brink said. Oek de Jong, 32 years old, whose two novels, "Blowing Summer Dresses" and "Circle in the Grass," have had runaway sales, describes himself as a mystic. Ari van der Heijden, 32, has been chronicling the '60s and '70s, when educated youth turned to drug use, street violence and urban squatting as a way of life. He has called his trilogy in progress "A Toothless Time," a study of a generation stuck in adolescence but searching for its own values.

TARRY MULISCH, one of the Netherlands' most revered authors, is himself a man of irreverence.

The writer has become a kind of pop star, he's visible, he appears on TV," he said pouring black coffee in his studio, which is unusually spacious and tidy for Amsterdam's normally overstuffed canal houses. "Young people nowadays have more money, and they must have the new books; it's the done thing. Of course, as a writer, I think that's great. Snobbism has always been a driving force for the arts. The Renaissance monarchs attracted writers and painters and musicians and let them work. Snobbism is good for art."

His first novel sold 6,000 copies in six years and was, he recalls, "no worse that what I did afterward." His latest book, "The Assault," has already sold a near-record 250,000 copies in the Netherlands, "The Assault," tells of

that has consequences in the present. A compelling para-ble of war, it is being widely translated and appeared in the United States this year.

Publishers here say there is an awakening interest abroad in Dutch writing. Translations are being made into Swedish, German and French, and there are English-

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language versions of Mulisch's "Two Women" and "The Stone Bridal Bed," of "Rituals" by Cees Nooteboom, of "Turkish Fruit" by Jan Wolkers and of books by Marga Minco, Frans Kellendonk and Maarten het Hart.

But the process has been slow, in spite of all the literary activity in the Netherlands. "We need a Dutchman to win the whole outlook on our literature. In 1979 Louis-Paul Boon [a Flemish poet] got a letter from the Swedish ambassador inviting him to an audience. Everyone knows what that means. A few days later Boon died of a heart attack." Another candidate, the novelist Simon Vestdijk,

'also died too soon.' One impediment, Mulsich said, is that there have been Irving, Raymond Carver and Ann Beattie.

people abroad may have heard of our Multatuli. Of exercise their considerable capacity for indignation. The course, a lot of Dutch writing has always belonged to the primmer Calvinists criticize the Roman Catholics, and the naturalistic drawing room tradtion, which doesn't do well abroad - portraits of daily life. Vermeer on paper. We the Vatican. Satire and parody thrive - but of late people have no great problems. We are a small country under a

gray sky with a Calvinist past."
The Dutch have been a nation of avid book buyers and The young men and women printers since the 17th century, when their papermaking, printing and engraving turned the nation into Europe's center of publishing. Work from other countries was printed here because it was cheaper or because it was censored back home. The Netherlands' mixture of libertarian and mercantile spirit led Descartes and Pascal to publish here what they could not bring out in France. They were followed by Rousseau and Voltaire; the latter had such spats with his stingy Dutch publisher that he even modeled an unpleasant character in "Candide" after

> According to the Institute for Book Research in Amsterdam, the Dutch nowadays spend close to \$40 a person annually on books. The English spend less than \$12. For a awarded Brandt the prize for 1984, the minister of culture public libraries. There is a bookshop for every 7,000 people, not counting the multitude of secondhand bookstores, elegantly known here as "antiquarian."

The Athenaeum bookshop, on Amsterdam's central Spui Street, is one of the city's choicest spots for literature. with a stock of more that 15,000 titles. Athenaeum is a fine barometer of shifting tastes: literary accounts of travels. old and new, occupy a prominent place, and an entire room is still devoted to classical texts and studies, ranging from the illustrated "Love and Seduction in Antiquity" 21 titles on and by Aristotle. Purchases of French literathe Nobel Prize," Mulisch quipped. "That would change ture have dropped, the bookstore's director, Guus Schut said, since studying French ceased to be obligatory in high

> By contrast, the importers of Penguin Books here say the Netherlands is the company's largest customer outside

as the traditional guides — politicians and priests — have the killing of a Dutch collaborator during World War II no great writers to draw attention to the others. "Even the lost status and credibility." As we've taken things apart, that has consequences in the present. A compelling para
Scandinavians had Strindberg, Ibsen, Kierkegaard. Some Dutch are also a nation of quarrelsome citizens who like to Catholics argue among themselves about the authority of have expressed concern that more bitter and insulting language has found its way into print.

> HIS year the Netherlands' most prestigious literary prize became an object of strife and indignation and was not awarded at all. At issue was the work of Hugo Brandt Corstius, a firebrand essayist and columnist variously described here as a brilliant wit and a verbal terrorist. Brandt has invented a tongue of his own. Upperlands, with which he aims to free the Dutch language from the "clutches of prattle emanating from radio and mouth. from newspaper and postcard."

> But he has also attacked many members of the establishment, particularly Catholics. Some months ago, when the jury of the national P. C. Hooft Prize for Literature vetoed the choice. The writer, the minister argued, had "injured part of the population" and his systematic insults did not deserve to be encouraged with a national award."

> Brandt retorted that the "minister against culture" had "declared war on literature." A noisy and lengthy national debate ensued - involving the cabinet, the prime minister, writers, artists' guilds and the press - on whether literary merit is separate from morality and therefore not in the government's domain. One effect of the ruckus has been the suggestion by some cultural critics that literary awards are better left to private rather than public institutions. The P.C. Hooft Prize jury has resigned, and while Dutch literature flourishes, it is uncertain whether the much-coveted prize will be awarded the next year.

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TRAVEL

Relaxed Exploration in New Orleans

by Frances Frank Marcus

EW ORLEANS - New Orleanians are deriving great satisfaction from the fact that the rest of the world has discovered blackened redfish. They have always known that their food was the best, along with their jazz and their Victorian architecture. Now news about Cajun cooking and its attempted cloning from Manhattan to Singapore has given the city an added lift.

Southern Louisiana has a tradition of good cooks, trained by the French who arrived in the 18th century. A surge of new restaurants combined with a slow economy has kept them striving to please. Fall and winter weather, which ranges from Indian summer to cool with an occasional cold snap, encourages the appetite. In addition, November brings camellias: December, poinsettias: Jan. 1, the Sugar Bowl, followed by the Super Bowl on Jan. 26. Two weeks later there is Mardi Gras. Feb. 11, a day that most people take as a holiday.

Few cities offer more relaxed exploring. The narrow streets of the French Quarter. the Vieux Carre, are ideal for walking, with refreshments at hand and eclectic possibilities for Christmas shopping. Royal Street is

beside the Mississippi in the French Quarter or a riverboat like the Natchez, a sternwheel steamboat, which offers two-hour cruises, from 11:30 A.M. to 2:30 P.M. The fare is \$9.50, \$4.75 for children.

A 60-cent ride on the St. Charles streetcar. the city's only remaining line, is also a must. Board a car on Carondolet Street just off Canal Street and try for a seat on a mahogany bench trimmed with brass. The route skirts the Garden District, a neighborhood of 19th-century mansions. To visit the 200 (9:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. weekdays, to 5 P.M. weekends), get off at Audubon Park. Entry fee: \$4.50, \$2 for children.

Jean Lafitte National Historical Park rangers lead four different free walking tours in and around the French Quarter. Some tours go to the historic St. Louis Cemetery No. 1 and the Garden District. Walks begin in the French Market at Decatur and Du-

maine Streets. For details, call 504-589-2636. The Delta Queen, a paddlewheeler deco-rated in gold leaf and Tiffany glass, and its younger sister, the Mississippi Queen, begin fall cruises on the lower Mississippi in early November. From their new terminal, the boats will paddle upriver, visiting various plantations. Cruising to Vicksburg and back

good for antique hunting: Jackson Square from Dec. 20 to 27, the Mississippi Queen will celebrate a Cajun Christmas complete with cooking lessons. Other cruises range from two to seven nights, and the cost of a cabin for two runs from about \$375 to \$700 a night. Further details: 504-586-0631 or 800-543-1949.

Fall brings country festivals. The Destrehan Plantation House Festival will be held Nov. 9 and 10 on the Mississippi 20 miles upstream. Tables laden with regional food, arts and crafts will occupy the lawn beside the 1787 house built in West Indies and Greek Revival style. Entry fee: \$2.

The French Quarter's annual caroling will take place by candlelight in Jackson Square from 7 to 8 Dec. 22.

Christmas country-style is celebrated at Madewood, a plantation house on Bayou Lafourche 72 miles from New Orleans from 5:30 to 8:30 P.M. on Dec. 14. There will be carolers on the balcony and turkey dinner for 200. Tickets are \$40. There are hotels in Thibodaux, a half-hour's drive away, for those who want to stay overnight. Accommodations at Madewood have been booked for months, but if you're interested in making reservations for next year, write to 420 Julia Street, New Orleans, 70130 or call 504-524-1988.

One of the best small museums in the country, the 1857 Gallier House in the

French Quarter, which contains authentic furnishings and offers changing exhibits on dining habits, plumbing, linens and other apsects of the 19th century, will be decked out for Christmas beginning Dec.7. Open from 10 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. Monday to Saturday (last tour: 3:45; \$3).

USIC is thriving in New Orleans. Young bands, modern jazz groups and Dixieland are heard in hotel lobbies, shopping malls, restaurants and music clubs and on the street. On Saturday nights about 60 clubs offer live jazz. rhythm and blues or Cajun music. On week nights live music can be found at 30 or so clubs.

Preservation Hall (726 St. Peter Street: 504-522-2238 or 504-523-8939) is still the first stop for traditional jazz from 8:30 to 12:30 nightly, Thanksgiving and Christmas included but not Mardi Gras. Admission: \$2. Food and beverages are not sold, but spectators may bring drinks.

The Raspberry Ragimers, Creole Rice, the Louisiana Repertory Jazz Ensemble and other jazz bands play from 9 to midnight Tuesday to Saturday in Le Jazz Meridien in the Hotel Meridien (614 Canal Street: 504-525-6500). Drinks start at \$3.25.

Sundays from 1 to 3 P.M. jazz players offer free concerts in the performance tent in the French Market's Dutch Alley. The French Market information booth at Decatur and St. Ann Streets has program details.

Bird lovers are in luck this year. The

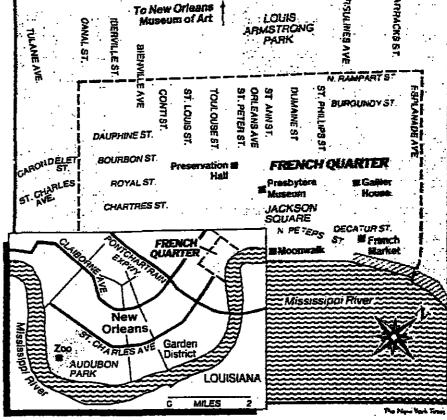
Spanish Colonial-style Presbytère, a state museum on Jackson Square, will open a John James Audubon show on Dec. 6. Organized by the American Museum of Natural History, it will run to Feb.2. Hours: 10 A.M. to 6 P.M. Tuesday to Sunday. Entry fee: \$2.

From Nov. 10 to Jan.12 the New Orleans Museum of Art in City Park will display works by David, Ingres, Degas, Renoir and Picasso among others, all collected by the local philanthropist Muriel Bultman Francis. From Dec. 8 to Jan. 26 the museum will focus on painters admired by French kings from the time of Louis XIV to the French Revolution. Open from 10 A.M. to 5 P.M. Tuesday to Sunday; entry fee: \$3.

Thanks to overly optimistic hotel builders. New Orleans is now prime ground for bar-gain hunting, especially for those who would

like a room in a small French Quarter hotel.
One of the best is Grenoble House (329 Dauphin Street; 504-522-1331), an all-suite hotel occupying three Victorian town houses. The 17 suites have kitchens and china. Sherry on arrival and Continental breakfasts included in the rate. One-bedroom suites start at \$110, reduced to \$85 from Dec. 1 to 26. Arnaud's, a first-rate restaurant around the corner, delivers meals

to guests who want to dine in. Closer to the river is Le Richelieu (1234 Chartres Street; 504-529-2492; 800-535-9653), a small, quiet motel occupying a 19thcentury mansion and a former macaroni factory. A small cafe overlooks the patio and pool. Rates for two start at \$70, including parking, somewhat less during slow seasons. The Royal Orleans (621 St. Louis Street; 504-529-5333) is near fine French Quarter



restaurants and has its own deluxe restaurants. Ask for an outside room. Current rates for two range from \$150 to \$170 a night: next year they will range from \$158 to \$180.

There are newer hotels than the Pontchar-train (2031 St. Charles Avenue: 504-524-0581), a step away from the Garden District, but none with a more loyal following. Rooms are spacious, the service friendly. Rates for two begin at \$105, suites at \$205.

TAMING good restaurants is like naming them in Paris. The list quickly gets out of hand. Expandable waistbands are useful.

Local food critics give high marks to Hen-ri. (614 Canal Street; 504-527-6708), the Hotel Meridien's handsome new restaurant. The cuisine is Alsatian; the decor, white orchids and green marble. The menu du soir is \$39.50 with choices changing daily. One lineup: small quiche appetizer, foie gras with truffles, Scotch salmon souffle, sherbet, rabbit stuffed with watercress mousse and fresh pear in puff pastry with ice cream and champagne sauce, coffee and pents fours.

Commander's Palace (1403 Washington Avenue; 504-899-8221) in the Garden District prepares local seafood and other Louisiana specialties with a light and appealing touch. Reservations are imperative. For shrimp remonlade, house salad, trout with roasted pecans, and chocolate judge cake

and coffee, the price is \$24 a person. K-Paul's Louisiana Kitchen (416 Chartres Street; 504-524-7394) is Paul Prudhomme's homely temple of blackened redfish, the place for spicy Cajun fare, served flippantly. When available, the black redfish is \$26. Other main dishes start at \$22. Open for

dinner only. Monday to Friday. Be prepared to wait up to two bours.

Galateire's (209 Bourbon Street; 504-525-2021) is a New Orleans landmark that insists on coats and ties after 5 P.M. and all day Sunday, but the French-Creoke food is well worth the effort. Eggplant stuffed with shrump and crabmeat, a meal in itself for \$10, is highly recommended. No reservations accepted.

After a decline, Arnand's (813 Bienville Street: 504-523-5433), with double glass windows and mosaic tile floors, is once again in favor. There are more than 100 items on of pompano stuffed with scallop mousse (\$19.50). the French-Creole menu. A favorite is fillet

The plush grill room at the Windsor Court (300 Gravier Street; 504-523-6000) grills redlish with mesquite; also on the menu are Alaska caribou and Norwegian salmon. For lanch the redfish is \$9; a larger dinner portion is \$14.50

Begne's in the Royal Sonesta (300 Bourbon Street; 504-5586-0300) serves a bountiful seafood buffet at Friday lunch, \$15.95 for shrimp, oysters, catrish and 65 other items; The hotel's leafy patio is the place to stop for

a drink, \$3.50 for a glass of write. Weekend jazz brunches shound. The Crescent City Jazz Band plays at the Fairmont (University Place: 504-529-7411) from 10:30 A.M. to 2:30 P.M. Sondays in the Blue Room. It's best if you have a hearty appetite: Formelets to order, eggs Benedict, fried chicken, seafood, pancakes Oscar and on and on.

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Mexico Acts to Reassure Tourists

by Morris D. Rosenberg

N the wake of the tragic earthquake that struck Mexico City Sept. 19, the Mexican government has begun an urgent campaign to reassure tourists about their safety and protect its vital high eason winter travel business.

Officials in Mexico emphasize that the extensive destruction was confined to a relatively small, older section of the city primarily Colonia Roma, but also affecting parts of downtown and the Zona Rosa, a major tourist area. Power. water. sewage, transportation and local phone systems in the capital are now operating, all 53 airports around the country are handling traffic, and all highways are open. The initial quake and aftershock left major tropical resorts like Acapulco and Cancin unharmed.

More than 8,000 bodies have been recovered from the wreckage in Mexico City and thousands of Mexicans are still missing. More than 400 buildings collapsed, about 300 are believed ready to fall and some already have been torn down. Damages are estimated at \$4 billion.

Travel agents have been concerned that the tragedy in the capital might cause many Americans and other tourists to bypass —at least for a time — that center of culture, business and government. The city is the main destination for tourists, who generally combine it with one of the beach resorts as part of a package.

The capital is a major airline gateway -

though not the only one - to the popular recreational, historical and archaeological sites scattered throughout the country that last year drew nearly five million visitors. Almost a million stopped in Mexico City at least for a few days,

For Mexico, already suffering from serions inflation, high unemployment and a continuing flight of capital to the United States, the \$2.2 billion tourism industry is second only to oil as a producer of much-needed hard currency. A sharp drop in arrivals from the United States, which supplies 85 percent of the visitors, would be another blow to its shaky economy even as the country begins

the long process of restoration.

With these sobering facts in mind, Tour-

ism Minister Antonio Enriquez Savignac flew to New York recently with a message for travel industry leaders: "Many of the television reports . . . tend to give the impression that the capital was completely devastated. That impression is incorrect."

And as Mexico launched its advertising and public relations offensive, a group of U.S. tour operators returned from a oneweek inspection trip to the capital and three resort cities.

"This is a slower fall season than normal, but people are still traveling to Mexico," said Anna Di Leo of Alexander Charters and Tours, a New York wholesaler-retailer spealizing in packages to Mexico.

Mexico was not enjoying a super season before the earthquake, although business was increasing. That was because its hotel rates and airline fares - despite some earlier benefits from devaluation - could not compete effectively with European prices due to the strong dollar abroad, one tour operator

Full restoration of international phone service and normalization of communications with the rest of Mexico were expected momentarily. Earlier, to enable members of the travel industry to communicate with hotels, tour operators and airlines in Mexico, the government set up an air courier service from New York

ERE is a summary of current condi-tions affecting visitors to Mexico City, according to a government-

HOTELS: Of the capital's 507 hotels with total of 35,350 rooms, 153 hotels with 19,167 rooms were in the areas hit by the tremors. Six hotels with 883 rooms were totally destroyed, and seven with 848 rooms were partially destroyed and probably will not be restored. Twenty-two hotels suffered major damage, 25 have minor damage, 51 have decorative damage such as fallen plaster, and 42 hotels remain in perfect condi-

While 9 percent - 1,736 - of all hotel rooms in the capital have been permanently wiped out, the majority of the country's 250,000 hotel rooms were unaffected. Mexico City hotels destroyed were: the Regis, Principado, Finisterra, Romano Downtown.

Versailles and Central: the Continental, De Carlo, Residencia and Montreal were among those "semi-destroyed."

HEALTH: The Pan American Health Organization said last week there is no danger of epidemics in the capital, and tourists do not need any vaccinations to visit any area of Mexico. The Mexican Ministry of Health has recommended that, as a precaution, visitors to the capital avoid drinking any water that has not been boiled or bottled standard rule over the years for many tourists, especially in the tropics. The government also suggests that visitors award food and drinks sold on the capital's streets.

TOURIST ATTRACTIONS: The majority of Mexico City's attractions -- such as the Metropolitan Cathedral, National Palace, Palace of Fine Arts and the National University — are reported to be in perfect condition, but in some cases tour operators have had to modify routes because some areas are cordoned off. The famous National Museum of Anthropology in Chapultepec Park also escaped unscathed.

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Among places damaged but restorable are the well-known typical tourist zones: La Lagunilla, La Merced, Tepito, Plaza Ganbaldi and Zona Rosa. The only archaeological zone affected was the Ehecatl Temple in the Pino Suarez subway station. All nonhotel bars and nightclubs were untouched. Of 354 restaurants belonging to the Mexican Res-taurant Association, only 12 incurred damages that forced them to close.

OTHER TOURIST AREAS: Ixtapa-Zihuatanejo on the Pacific Coast was the only major resort area to suffer damages from the tremors of Sept. 19 and 20. They were mainly superficial and affected only the buildings masonry and external surfaces, according to the town officials. Three of the 28 hotels in the area remain closed.

Club Med-Ixtapa was undamaged but will be closed until Nov. 15 to permit a thorough inspection. Three other Club Med Mexican resort villages — at Playa Blanca, Gusymas and Cancin -- were untouched and remain open. Also undamaged and open are the Club's five archaeological villages —three in the Yucatan and two outside Mexico City at Teotihuscan and Chohula

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HE varying degree of governmental and corporate assistance also helps explain some imbalances that still exist in the range of non-Western music of-fered abroad. Korean and Burmese music gets shorter shrift here, says Gordon, be-cause those governments have less foreign hard currency with which to support their touring artists.

The long-time isolation of mainland China and the internal repression there of tradi-tional culture discouraged the spread of traditional Chinese music to Western

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as with Matsushita (Panasonic elsewhere)
underwriting the Grand Kabuki.

audiences. There was also, Browning suggests, a lingering association in Western minds with simplistic pentatonic music of the sort used in Hollywood films. And, thinks Gordon, Westerners believed all Chinese music sounded as abrasive and percussive as that which accompanies Peking Opera, which was originally intended for ontdoor performance. But now, such stric-tures are loosening, with a tour of traditional musicians from Peking scheduled for February. And the New York Chinese community is beginning to muster fairly sophisticated performances of traditional music.

Another disparity exists between classical high-art musical traditions, folk music and commercial popular music. New York gets ample high-art musicians, and an increasing

number of popular troupes, like the Senegalese band Toure Kunda. But the more ancient folk forms, uncontaminated by Western influence, have been harder to bring

Now, however, more and more governments and private impresarios like Gordon are seeking out the folk musicians, too. But the bulk of the foreign imports, apart from the popular bands, are likely to remain from the high-art tradition for the foreseeable future which has a seeking or the foreseeable future which has a seeking and the seeking and the seeking and the seeking are likely to remain from the high-art tradition for the foreseeable future which has a seeking out the folks are seeking out the folk musicians, too. But the seeking out the folk musicians, too. But the folks are seeking out the folk musicians, too. But the folks are seeking out the folks are likely to remain from the folks are likely to future, which has as much to do with questions of governmental prestige as with strictly aesthetic quality. As Grilli of the Japan Society put it: "Any culture likes to put its more glamorous foot forward first."

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Flying the Friendly Skies Of Creative Travel Agents

by Paul Grimes

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EW YORK - If you asked Pan American World Airways to sell you an unrestricted economyclass ticket from New York to Hong Kong and back, you would recently have been quoted a price of \$2,246. But a creative travel agent can arrange, for about \$800 more, flights not just to Hong Kong and back but around the world with unlimited stopovers — all in first class.

help international air travelers benefit greatly from today's highly competitive marketplace. Airlines hesitate to tread in such areas place. Annues mestate to tread in such areas themselves because itineraries can be complicated to arrange and may lessen their revenues. They are perfectly legal, however, under agreements between governments and the rules of the 100-odd member airlines of the International Air Transport Association (IATA). The airlines usually welcome what-

ever business travel agents bring them. You need more, however, than an agent who simply consults a computer. You need one familiar with the IATA fare structure, knows how it can be used to best advantage and is up-to-date on currency fluctuations and their impact on the price of flying. If you simply want to go to one point in Europe or Asia and back at the lowest possi-

ble round-trip fare and can make your plans far in advance, your best option is clear: Pay the lowest available promotional fare. But if you must travel on short notice, have a complicated itinerary with lots of

stopovers, want the freedom to change your plans an route without penalty or, above all, want to bask in the luxury of first class at bargain prices, read on.

Helping clients do just that is a specialty of Mark H. Stratton, president of Stratton Travel Inc. of Franklin Lakes, New Jersey. Many of his clients fly internationally on business and demand both maximum flexibility and minimum price.

Last year a representative of Singapore Airlines recommended Stratton to me as a travel agent who knows a lot about fares. A few months ago I asked him by telephone to construct an itinerary that my wife and I could use to travel around the world —a trip that we hoped to take but later had to cancel.

We originally intended to fly economy class and follow one of the many round-theworld itineraries that use two connecting airlines. At this writing, the price for that method was \$2,099 a person, and the tickets are substantially restricted regarding stop-

overs and routing.
But Stratton showed how, for \$2,638 each, could send us around the world in first class with unlimited stopovers, using many airlines, and be able to make changes en route with no penalties. Such a ticket would cost at least \$5,000 if bought from an airline in New York. One reason for the difference was that Stratton planned to charge us the dollar equivalent of what the tickets would

have cost at the time in Irish pounds. If his calculations had been made this fall, the cost would have been higher, because the lrish pound, like most European currencies, had strengthened against the dollar. But it still would have been a substantial bargain.

In capsule, here is how all this is possible:

In 1972, the airlines in the IATA cartel attempted to bring order to a chaotic international pricing situation by establishing what are called fare construction units, or FCU's. Each FCU was made equal to \$1, and the fares in foreign countries were based on the values of their respective currencies at that time in relation to the dollar.

Thus, one FCU represented 0.38377 of a Stritish or Irish pound, 5.11 French francs, 3.25 West German marks and 581.5 Italian lire. So, if you applied the longstanding airline rule that that a fare had to be based on the currency of the country where the trip started, it made no difference in cost whether, for example, a trip between New York

and London began in either city: If the price was \$1,000 from New York, it was £383 from London, the amounts being equivalent.

That was in 1972. As currencies fluctuated, the system was thrown off balance. So IATA members would meet and impose sur-charges to bridge gaps. If the dollar doubled in value in relationship to the French franc, for example, the French could not be asked to pay double for their international air tickets; they could not afford to.

Over the years, more than stopgap adjust-ments were clearly needed. So IATA members instituted what they called a currency adjustment factor, or a percentage surcharge based on the highest one-way direct fare between the point of origin and any point on the way. That was to be applicable to an entire journey beyond those countries, even if it was around the world and then some. In planning our trip, Stratton searched for a country where the dollar was strong and

where he could apply a highly favorable

A tale of how economy and luxury can mix

currency adjustment factor. He had to follow the rule of basing our air fare on the currency of the country where the trip theoretically started, but he did not have to charge us for it in that currency and we did

not, in fact, have to leave from there. So he selected Ireland as the origin and Hong Kong as the direct destination with the highest one-way fare, even though we would not actually be flying that route. A currency adjustment factor of 34.2 could thus be applied to our entire journey. The Irish pound was worth \$1.05 at the time.

To begin his calculations, Stratton used the round-trip first-class fare between New York and Hong Kong of \$4,326, or 4,326 FCU's, which is what I would have had to pay Pan Am if I had bought from the airline directly for such a ticket via the Pacific. Stratton originated each ticket in Shannon, however, which meant that he had to increase the price of each ticket by 552 FCU's - the Shannon-New York economy-class fare -- even though we would not actually travel that leg. This brought the total fare to 4,878 FCU's a person. Then, using the IATA exchange rate of 0.38377 Irish pounds to the dollar, he converted the FCU's to 1,872. He then multiplied this by the currency adjustment factor of 34.2, or 134.2 percent, which raised the fare to £2,512. Then, using the rate of \$1.05 to the pound, he determined that the fare was \$2,638 for each ticket.

Under airline rules, there was no need for us to stop in Ireland at all. In fact, it was suggested that we complete our journey by flying from London to New York on the British Airways Concorde. As our fare was constructed, it would have cost us only \$262

To find an inventive agent who can save you money, look for one who deals heavily in international business travel but has time for vacationers as well. An airline probably will not recommend anyone, but it may give you

Be aware, however, that creativity has its limits. Starting or ending tickets where you will not actually travel is common these days if exchange rates or fares work in your favor. provided the routing seems reasonable. But if an agent proposes, for example, that you pay for a 100-mile flight between two remote cities in Africa, then theoretically take a boat across the Atlantic to be eligible for a cheap Concorde fare between New York and Paris, Air France may well not honor your ticket.

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TRAVEL

The Chaco: Really Off the Beaten Track

by Edwin McDowell

ILADELFIA, Paraguay - In theory, at least, no destination is more sought after by travelers than Off the Beaten Track, that elusive Eden unspoiled by civilization. While the prospects of finding such places on our crowded planet shrink almost daily, some relatively unspoiled places still exist and the

name of one of them is Filadelfia.

This Filadelfia is a settlement in Paraguay founded early in this century by Mennonites. members of a 16th-century Protestant sect that fled Europe for the New World in search of religious freedom as well as exemption from conscription for military service. Today, Paraguay, a tiny landlocked pasto-ral nation hemmed in by Argentina, Brazil and Bolivia, is largely ignored by travelers to Rio, Buenos Aires or La Paz. And of the few tourists who do manage to find their way to

Asunción, the sleepy capital, few ever find their way out to Filadelfia. That is because the village is accessible only after a bone-jarring 10-hour bus ride 250 miles northwest into the Chaco Boreal, a California-sized wilderness that fans out from just beyond Asunción westward to the Bolivian border, almost 500 miles away. And even after having arrived in Filadelfia, some visitors may find the wildemess too close to nature for comfort.

A few weeks before I arrived, for example, jaguar attacked a hunter on a ranch 50 miles west of the village. Such incidents are rare but they underscore that the Chaco -a word apparently derived from the Quechua for hunting ground — has not been despoiled by tourists or civilization.

The reasons are geological as well as geo-graphical, for the Chaco is a mixture of desert, jungle, swamp and forest. While it makes up more than 60 percent of Paraguay, the Chaco has only one paved road and contains less than 4 percent of the nation's 3.3 million residents. Professor John Hoyt Williams of Indiana State University, who has written widely on Paraguay, said that the Chaco "has perhaps changed ecologically less than any other sizable area of the earth's surface."

The wonder is that the Chaco was not despoiled years ago. Early in this century land barons from Argentina and the United States owned millions of its acres. Foreign oil companies drilled bundreds of exploratory wells. And after oil was discovered at the foothills of the Bolivian Andes, Paraguay and Bolivia fought a bloody three-year war in the Chaco, under the illusion that it was rich in oil reserves.

In retrospect, the Chaco War of 1932-35

reads like comic opera, complete with German generals, Belgian rifles, British bombers and Italian gunboats. Indians brought down from the Andes battled Guarani Indians with grenades and flamethrowers for control of waterholes. Tanks and armored cars, bogged down in the mud, were destroyed by horse-drawn cannons. In many skirmishes the machete proved more effective than the

Yet there was nothing comic about the conflict, which left 85,000 dead as a result of thirst, hunger and summer temperatures that soar well above 100 degrees.

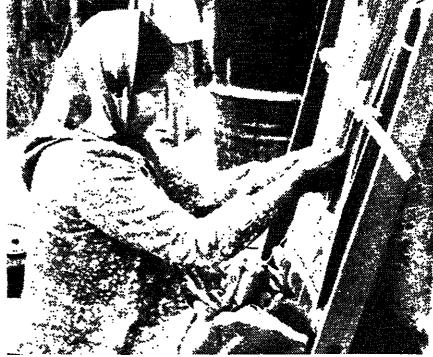
PARAGUAY won the war, and with it possession of two-thirds of the Chaco Boreal, but it never discovered oil. To this day only the Mennonites — who emi-grated from Canada beginning in 1926, unaware that Paraguay invited them in the hope of populating the disputed territory as a buffer against Bolivian territorial ambitions -have settled in the region in any real numbers. About 12,000 Mennonites live in dozens of tiny villages scattered throughout three contiguous colonies around Filadelfia. There are Filadelfias elsewhere in Latin

America, including Bolivia, Colombia and Costa Rica, all of them apparently named after the city mentioned in the Bible. (Passages in the Book of Revelation refer to the city of Philadelphia — Filadelfia is the Span-ish spelling — in Asia Minor, the seat of an early Christian church.)

In contrast to most Paraguayans, who are mixture of Spanish and Guarani Indian, the Mennonites tend to be light skinned and fair haired. And they speak a German dialect far more often than they speak Spanish or Guarani, Paraguay's national languages.

The streets of Filadelfia bear such names as Friedhofstrasse and Harbinerstrasse. Most books in the combination librarybookstore are written in German. Instruction in the modern elementary school is provided almost entirely in German, as is much of the instruction in the high school and at the teacher-training institute. Motion pictures shown locally are provided by the West German Embassy in Asunción. And Lufthansa posters outnumber those of General Alfredo Stroessner, the 71-year-old dictator who has ruled Paraguay for 30 years and whose dour visage is plastered on acres of wall space in every corner of the country.

German is not the only foreign language spoken in Filadelfia. "Every year at Easter ve have a gathering of English speakers in the colony, and we always get more than 100 people," said Jacob Harder, a Filadelfia schoolteacher who graduated from college in Canada, Less than 10 percent of the colony's



A weaver at an Indian resettlement near Filadelfia.

high school graduates attend college, he said, since the Mennonite religion encourages its followers to become farmers. But some Filadelfians study abroad, and one of Filadelfia's two doctors graduated from medical school in Buenos Aires.

Why would a traveler come to such a remote, bucolic place? Curiosity, mostly, But also because Filadelfia, with its communal government, is an interesting anachronism. It is a settlement where crime is virtually unknown. It is one of the dwindling number of communities that still do not have television. And it is one of the few communities whose only telephone connection with the outside world is at the central exchange.

Moreover, travel agencies in Asunción will book hunting or photography expedi-tions into the Chaco, using Filadelfia as the base for excursions of anywhere from two days to a week. But another reason to visit Filadelfia is the opportunity to observe a community of industrious men and women who take pride in their work and take pride at having overcome so much adversity.

F Filadelfia is hardly being overrun by tourists, the outside world is gradually making calls on it. Enough businessmen and merchants have found their way to the village in recent years for the community to have built the Hotel Florida, a spotlessly clean red-brick building that serves hearty meals, including generous portions of steak, rice and beans. Liquor is taboo, but the hotel and the other restaurant sell a popular Paraguayan beer called Pilsen Dorada. Moreover, many products from the out-

side world are sold in the cooperative store in the center of town. Among them: Flying Man sewing machines from China and refrigerators from Brazil as well as Honda motorcycles and Toshiba fans.

All these products are transported over the Trans-Chaco Highway, built in the 1960s. The road is the economic lifeline of the Chaco, used by the Mennonites not only for imports but also for the export of cotton, cattle and peanuts. Yet despite its impressive name, and despite official claims to the contrary, the highway is paved for less than half its 500-mile length. So, during the rainy season, from January through March, the unpaved portions of the road are transformed into rivers of red mud and the Trans-Chaco is impassable for days at a time.

I made the journey during the dry season, aboard the rickety bus that leaves Asunción at 5:30 each morning. The dry season not-withstanding, it rained steadily for several hours, and water poured through the roof of

the vehicle. The first few times the bus pulled into rest stops it looked as if the 17 passengers — including a half-dozen Paraguayan cowboys, who sipped yerba mate from gourds called recuerdos through silver tubes called bombillas - would be conscripted to push the vehicle out of the ankle-deep mud.

Some way, however, the bus managed to slip and slither its way back onto the main road. And when the skies brightened it was easy to appreciate the stark, quiet beauty of the great plain - a plain dotted with cactus. shrubs and trees with some of the hardest woods known.

The most prominent tree in the Chaco is the quebracho, and from its bark large amounts of tannin are extracted for making leather. A monument to the quebracho stands in the center of Filadelfia, a testimonial to the value of the tannin; its industrial use provided the Mennonites with the means to earn a living. Nearby are two Mennonite churches; the most modern is a brick structure built in 1980 that would not be out of place in any American suburb. Indeed, Filadelfia, with its dusty streets, frame houses and wooden buildings, looks the way many small towns in the American West and Middle West looked at the turn of the century.

Quiet prevails nearly everywhere in the Chaco, which contains thousands of head of cattle, but Filadelfia is perfectly still only at night. During the day, motorcycles and mo-torbikes — many operated by mothers transporting children to and from school - roar down unpaved streets past carts drawn by horses and oxen. At 6 A.M. whistles sound summoning workers to the local factory, then they sound again signaling lunch hour and quitting time.

Nights in the Chaco are heavenly. The air is as clear as perhaps anywhere on earth. Tropical fragrances fill the evening hours. The Southern Cross - indeed, the entire galaxy - appears to be almost within arm's reach. The skies appear to be filled with a grand fireworks show, with shooting stars falling noiselessly to earth, their silver tails sweeping the heavens.

The success of the Mennonites in settling the Chaco has inspired few other Paraguayans, most of whom still associate the region with war, hardship and jaguars.

For the foreseeable future, at least, most of the Chaco will continue along its somnolent way, accessible only to those willing to make the effort, yet far enough Off the Beaten Track to make that effort worth-

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(Beethoven).

Aron" (Schonberg).

shi conductor, Osamu Yamaguchi gui-

tar (Rodrigo, Tchaikovsky). RECITALS — Nov. 9: Vladimir Spi-

vakov violin. Sergei Bezrodny piano

Nov. 10: Andrea Lucchesini piano

SPAIN

BARCELONA, Gran Teatre del Liceu

(tel: 318.92.77). OPERA - Nov. 10: "Moses und

MADRID, Fundación Juan March

(tel: 435.42.40). EXHIBITION — Through Novem-

EXHIBITION — Inrough November: "Contemporary Spanish Art."
RECITAL — Nov. 11: Margarita
Rose organ (Bach).

•Museo Espanol de Arte Contemporaneo (tel: 449.71.50).

•Museo Municipal (tel: 222.57.32).
EXHIBITION — Through November: "Utopia and Reality en XVIII
Century Arouitecture."

(Beethoven, Chopin). Nov. 12: Theo Olof violin (Bach).

AUSTRIA

VIENNA, Musikverein (tel: 65.81.90). CONCERTS—Nov. 10: Tonkfinstler Orchestra, Edgar Seipenbusch conductor, Grigorij Sokolov piano (Rachmaninov, Schumann). Nov. 11: Franz Schubert Quartet

Schubert). Nov. 15: New Vienna Vocal Ensemble, Peter Altmann conductor (Schubert). RECITALS — Nov. 9: Detiev Elinger piano (Bach). Nov. 12: Igo Koch piano (Bach).

•Staatsoper (tel: 53240). BALLET — Nov. 11: "Sylvia" (Mérante, Delibes). OPERA — Nov. 9, 12, 15: "La Traviata" (Gouned). Nov. 14: "The Escape from the Sera-

Nov. 14: Kyoko Ogawa piano (Matsu-

BELGIUM

elio" (Mozart).

BRUSSELS, Palais des Beaux Arts (tel: 512.50.45). EXHIBITION — To Dec. 22: "Spansh Splenders and Belgian Villages. Musces Royaux des Beaux-Aris de Belgique (tel: 513.55.46). EXHIBITION — To Dec. 22:

"Goya."

Musèes Royaux d'Art et d'Histoire (tel: 733.96.10). EXHIBITION — To Dec. 22: "Los lberos."

BRAZIL

SAO PAULO, 18th Biennial Celebration (tel: 572.77.22), EXHIBITIONS—To Dec. 15: "Con-

temporary Art" (Borofsky, Dokoupil, Eckell, Duarte, Senise).
To Dec. 15"Modern Classics" (Portinari, Segall, Malfatti). ari, Segali, Maliatu).
To Dec. 15: The Apprentice Tourist:
Photosof the Amazon Region by Manreen Bisilliat and Mario de Andrade."

DENMARK

of Modern Art (tel: 19.07.19). EXHIBITION—To Dec. 1: "Russian Avant-Garde: 1910-1930" (Male-vitch, Kandensky, Gongarova).

CONCERT — Nov. 12: London Symphony Orchestra, Andrew Davis conductor, Viktoria Mullova violin (Rossini, Pagamini).

"J.R.R. Tolkien," paintings by Ray-

HUMLEBAEK, Louisiana Museum

ENGLAND

BIRMINGHAM, Town Hall (tel: 638.41.41). CONCERT—Nov. 10: London Phil-

rmonic Orchestra, Antony Hopkins inductor, Erich Gruenberg violin onnictor, Enen Critaines voini (Mozart, Rossini). Nov. 11: Orchestra of St. John's Smith Square, Oliver Gilmour conductor, Claudio Antonelli flute, Philippa Da-vies harp (Handel, Mozart). Northern Sinfonia, Jerzy Maksymiuk conduc-tor, Christian Zakarias piano (Britten,

Gouncal).
Nov. 12: London Oriana Choir, Leon
Lovett conductor (Haydn, Vivaldi).
Nov. 14: London Symphony Orchestra, Andrew Davis conductor, Louis
Lortie piano (Beethoven, Rossini).
EXHIBITIONS — To Nov. 17:
"IRR Talkien" paratitats by Paramond Gregory. To Nov. 24: "John Lidzey."

THEATER -- Nov. 9, 11-16: "Les Miserables" (musical based on novel by Victor Hugo).

British Museum (tel: 636.15.55).

EXHIBITION—To Jan. 1986: "Buddhism: Art and Faith." Hayward Gallery (tel: 928.57.08).

EXHIBITIONS — Nov. 14-Feb. 16:
 "Torres-Garcia: Grid-Pattern-Sign," "Homage to Barcelona"

•London Coliseum (tel: 836.01.11). OPERA—Nov. 9: "Faust" (Gounod). Nov. 13: "Orpheus in the Under-world" (Offenbach).

onal Theatre (tel: 633.08.80). THEATER—Nov. 7-9: "The Real Inspector Hound" (Stoppard), "The Critic" (Sheridan). Nov. 7-14: "Love for Love" (Con-

greve).
Nov.11-14: "A Chorus of Disapproval" (Ayekbourn).
Nov. 15: "Mrs. Warren's Profession LONDON, Barbican Centre (tel: (Shaw).
638.41.41).
•Royal Academy of Arts (tel: 734.90.52). EXIBITION — To Dec. 22: "German Art in the Twentieth Century,

Art in the Twentieth Century."

Royal Opera House (tel: 240.10.56).

BALLET — Nov. 12 and 13: "La Bayadère" (Petipa/Nureyev, Minkus).

"The Sons of Horus" (Bintley, Mcgowan). "Elite Syncopations" (MacMillan, Joplin).

Nov. 15: "The Sleeping Beauty" (Petipa Theiltourching. tipa Tchaikovsky).

OPERA—Nov.9: "Il trovatore" (Ver-Tate Gallery (tel: 821.13.13). EXHIBITIONS — To Nov. 10: "Pound's Artists," "Gwen John, An Interior Life."

To Dec. 1: "Howard Hodgkin: Prints

from 1977-1983."

To Dec. 8: "Scott Burton."

Nov. 6-Jan, 10: "Kurt Schwitters." •Victoria and Albert Museum (tel:

The Mennonite churchin Filadelfia.

589.63.71). EXHIBITIONS — To Nov. 17: "Browne Muggs: English Brown Salt-Glazed Stoneware."
To December: "The Japanese Folk-craft Movement: 19th & 20th Century Textiles and Ceramics. To Jan. 19: "Shots of Style: Great on Photographs Chosen by David Bailey."
To Jan. 26: "Hats from India."

To May 25: "British Watercolours." STRATFORD-upon-AVON, Royal Shakespeare Theatre (tel: 29.56.23). THEATER—Nov. 9, 12, 16: "As You Like It" (Shakespeare).

Nov. 9 and 14: "The Merry Wives of Windsor" (Shakespeare). Nov. 9 and 12: "As You Like It"

Nov. 11, 13-15: "Othello" (Shake-

FRANCE

PARIS, A.D.A.C. Gallerie (tel: 42.77.96.26).
EXHIBITION --- To Nov. 28: "Sculpture, Engraved Glass, Paintings, Photography."

•American Center (tel: 43.35.21.50).

EXHIBITION — To Nov. 30: "William T. Wiley: California L."

Centre Culturel Chaillot-Galliera (tel: 47.20.71.50).

DANCE — To Nov. 11: Peter Goss Dance Company, Compagnie Josiane Rivoire Rivoire. Nov. 13-17; Nina Wiener and Danc-

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EXHIBITION -- To Dec. 22: "Palitana: The Sacred Village of Jai photographs and works by Nicole Til-

●Centre Georges Pompidon (tel: 42.77.12.33). EXHIBITIONS—To Nov. 11: "Raymon Mason, Jean-Michel Alberola, Viswanadhan, Gulham, Mohamed To Dec. 16: "Maua."

To Jan. 1: "Klee et la Musique."

•Eglise St.-Severin (tel: 42.77.19.90),

RECITAL — Nov. 14: Michel Bouvard organ (Bach).

•Eglise St.-Vincent-de Paul (tel:
42.77.19.90).

CONCERT—Nov. 15: Ensemble Orchestrale de Paris, Jean-Pierre Wallez

conductor. •Galerie Guigné (tel: 42.66.66.88). EXHIBITION — To Nov. 23; "Com-

 Hötel Méridien (tel: 47-58,12.30).
 JAZZ — To Nov. 16: Wild Bill Davis.
 Maison de Victor Hugo (tel: 42.72) 16 650. 42.72.16.65).

EXHIBITION — To Jan. 31: "Victor Hugo's Drawings."

"Musée d'Art Moderne (tel: 47.23.61.27).

EXHIBITIONS — To Jan. 5; "Vera Szekely." "Modern Masters from the Thyssen-Bornemisza Collection."

"Musée Carnavalet (tel: 42.72.21.13).

EXHIBITIONS — To Nov. 15:

"Claude-Nicolas Leitoux"

Nov. 15: Seji Ozawa conductor (Britanti Control C Claude-Nicolas Ledoux." o Nov. 24: "Les Grands Boulevards."

To Jan. 5: "Eugène Béjot."

• Musée du Grand Palais (tel: 42.61.54.10). 42.01.34.10).

EXHIBITIONS — To Dec. 16: "Sir Joshua Reynolds: 1723-1792."

To Jan. 6: "La Gloire de Victor Hugo."

Muste du Louvre (tel: 42.60.39.16). EXHIBITION —To Jan. 6: "Le Brun

Versailles." Musée du Petit Palais (tel; EXHIBITION - To Jan.5: "Soleil D'encre," Victor Hugo's manuscripts and drawings. Salle Pleyel (tel: 45.63.07.96). CONCERTS — 9: Ensemble Orches-tral de Paris, Jérôme Kaltenbach con-

uctor, Paul Baduraskoda piano (Beelov. 13 and 14; Orchestre de Paris, Christoph Von Dohnanyi conductor, Ghidon Kremer violin (Brahms,

o Théare, des Champs-Elysées (tel: 47.23.47.77),
DANCE — Dance Theater of Harlem — Nov. 9 and 10: "Giselle" (Coralli-/Perrot, Adam), "Troy Game" (North, Brasilian music), Nov. 11-14: "Caravanscrai" (Beatty,

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Santana), "Voluntaries" (Tetley, Poulenc), "Dougla" (Holder, Leon). Théâtre du Rond-Point (tel: 42.56.60.70).
RECITAL — Nov. 10: Anne Queffe-jec piano, Olivier Charlier violon, Yvan Chiffoleau piano (Beethoven,

Schumann). Theatre Musical de Paris (tel: 42.61.19.83). JAZZ MUSICAL —Nov. 13-Dec. 19: 'Black and Blue" (Segovia/Orezzoli). Tour Montparnasse (tel:

EXHIBITION — To Jan. 5: "Four Centuries of Ballet in Paris."

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BERLIN, Deutsche Oper (tel: 341,44,49). OPERA — Nov. 9: Madama Butterfly" (Puccini).
Nov. 10: "Wozzeck" (Berg).
Nov. 11: "Lucia di Lammermoor

EXHIBITION -To Jan. 31: "Victor Philharmonie (tel: 25488-0).

Nov. 10: Berlin Symphony Orchestra. Yan Pascal Tortelier conductor, Andreas Blau flute (Gounod, Haydn). Nov. 10 and 11: Berlin Radio Symphony Orchestra, Günter Wand conduc-tor (Bruckner).

COLOGNE, Oper der Stadt (tel: 21.25.81). JAZZ — Nov. 10: George Winston. OPERA — Nov. 10: The Bartered

ride" (Smetana). Nov. 12 and 14: "Madama Butterfly" (Puccini). Nov. 13: "Il Ritorno d'Ulisse in Pa-FRANKFURT, Alte Oper (tel: 13400).

CONCERT — Nov. 12: Alban Berg Quartett (Haydn, Schubert). RECITALS — Nov. 9: Bruno Leonardo Gelber piano (Beethoven, Liszt). Nov. 10: Nadia Gedda-Nova piano, Nikolai Gedda tenor (Bizet, Tchaikov

HAMBURG, Staatsoper (tel: 35.15.55). OPERA — Nov. 9 and 13: "La Tra-viata" (Verdi). Nov. 15: "Fidelio" (Beethoven).

MILAN, Teatro alla Scala (tel: 887.92.11). BALLET—Nov. 11-13, 15: "La bisbeballe 1 — Nov. 11-13, 15: "La bisbe-tica domata" (Cranko, Scariatti). CONCERTS — Nov. 13-15: Orches-tra del Teatro alla Scala, Eliahu Inbal conductor (Mahler). RECITAL—Nov. 9: Maria Ewing soprano, Geoffrey Parsons piano (Han-

del Schubert). ROME, Accademia Nazionale di San-CONCERTS — Nov. 10-12: Orchestra e Coro dell' Accademia Nazionale di Santa Cecilia, Giuseppe Sinopoli conductor, Malcolm Frager piano (Schumann).

EXHIBITION —To Nov. 24: "Felice Carena."

Museo Correr (tel: 25625).

EXHIBITION — To Nov. 10: "Opera Music: 1946-1985."

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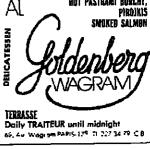
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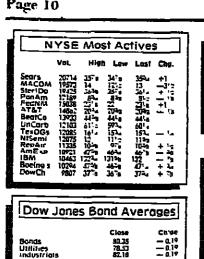












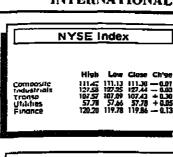
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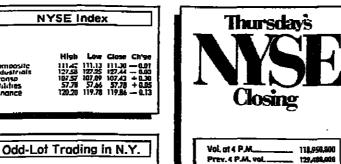
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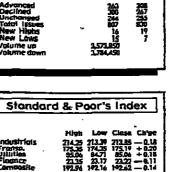
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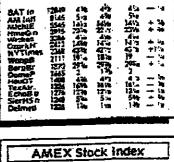




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Stocks Lower on Profit-Taking

NEW YORK - Prices on the New York Stock Exchange finished mixed Thursday as blue chips succumbed to profit-taking in the aftermath of Wednesday's record-breaking ses-

sion. Trading was active.

After breaking through 1,400 Wednesday, the
Dow Jones industrial average declined 3,90 on Thursday, to 1.399.54. Broader market indicators also gave up

ground. The New York Stock Exchange index eased 0.01 to 111.30, while Standard & Poor's 500-stock index decreased 0.14 to 192.62. The price of an average share lost one cent.
Advances outpaced declines 854-742, Volume totaled 119 million shares, down from

129.5 million Wednesday.

After the market closed, the Federal Reserve reported that M-1, the narrowest measure of the U.S. money supply, fell \$2.2 billion in the week ended Oct. 28.

Christine Callies of Dean Witter Reynolds

said that after a seven-day runup the market ran into some willing sellers. But she said the selling

pressure would not be strong enough to reverse the uptrend although it might slow it slightly. She noted that the best price action has been focused in the blue-chip stocks, while strength in secondary stocks has been limited. "Short-term market leadership seems to change quite frequently." she added. Recent strength has come from the financial sector, some portions of the insurance sector and from department and general-merchandise stores, she said.

"The market is in a new trading range of

1,350 to 1,425," said Kevin Keeney of South-west Securities in Dallas. The absence of unanimous bullish sentiment indicates that the market still has room to move higher, he said. Analysts said the view that the Federal Reerve will try to keep short-term interest rates

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M-1 Down \$2.2 Billion

NEW YORK — The narrowest measure of the U.S. money supply, M-1, fell \$2.2 billion in late October, the Federal Reserve Board reported Thursday.

The Fed said M-1 dropped to a seasonally adjusted \$611.4 billion in the week ended Oct, 28 from \$613.6 billion the previous

week.

M-1 includes currency in circulation, travelers checks and checking deposits at financial institutions.

from rising for the remainder of the year has

aided the market. Sears was the most active NYSE-listed issue, adding 1 to 35%. M/A-Com Inc. followed. The session's biggest loser, it fell 314 to 13 in active trading. After the close Wednesday, the company reported fourth-quarter earnings of 22 cents a share, down from 30 cents in the year-ealier period and said it expected to have lower firstquarter profits.

Sterling Drug, trading ex-dividend, was third, rising % to 36%.

Talt Broadcasting climbed 2½ to 80%. A group of investors led by the Bass brothers raised its stake in the company to 11 percent. Federal National Mortgage Association Among actively traded blue chips. AT&T

eased % to 20%, American Express gave up % to 46%. Dow Chemical added % to 37% and Gen-Among retailers, Ames Department Stores rose 1 a to 49% and Limited Stores added as to

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TECHNOLOGY

Packaging Steals Spotlight From Semiconductor Chip

By ANDREW POLLACK

New York Times Service

AN FRANCISCO—It does little good to build faster and faster automobiles if all they can drive on are dirt roads.

The electronics industry is discovering that principle with regard to semiconductor chips and their packaging. For circuitry onto tiny silicon chips, allowing for faster and smaller computers. But less attention was paid to the fact that electrical signals still have to be carried into and out of the chip. That function is performed by the plastic or ceramic packages in which the chips are housed.

The mundane packages, which also protect the chips from

damage, were much less excit-ing to work on than the chips themselves, and those who did were considered a lower caste among engineers. But now, the packaging is the bottle-neck, restricting efforts to increase the speed and shrink the size of computers.

Now the packaging is the bottleneck, limiting efforts to increase speed.

"Packaging is now a performance problem," said John J. Cox, vice president of operations of Semiconductor Research Corp., a consortium of electronics com-panies that finances university research on advanced microelec-tronic technology. "Here's this beautiful little chip and you can't get out of it what it's capable of because of the packaging."

The realization of the problem has set off a flurry of responses. Microelectronics & Computer Technology Corp., another industry research consortium, has picked packaging as one of its four major missions, along with more glamorous topics of advanced computer architectures, software and computer-aided design.

The package is what many people envision when they think of a computer chip. The chip itself is a flat piece of silicon, no bigger than a fingernall, that is etched with tiny circuits. The package around the chip is black plastic or ceramic with many metal prongs coming out of it. The most common type of package, known as a dual in-line package, resembles a centipede, with the metal prongs arranged in two rows like legs.

HE metal legs attach to the printed circuit board, which contains wires that connect to other chips and other parts of the computer, such as display screens. In turn, the chip is usually connected to the package by wires that attach to the

One problem is that as computer chips become more complex. more wires are needed to carry signals in and out of the chip. Some of the most complex chips require a few hundred such wires. It becomes increasingly difficult to place all those wires around the edge of the chip without the signals on the wires interfering with one another.

Hence, while cramming more functions onto a single chip should lead to smaller computers, that progress is partly nullified because the package around the chip must get bigger and bigger.

The package becomes "a great big overcoat, which is 10 to 20 times as big as the chip," said Barry H. Whalen, vice president and manager of the packaging program for Microelectronics &

Computer Technology Corp.

Several new types of packages have appeared on the market, and more are on the way. Instead of two rows of legs in a rectangular package, packages known as chip carriers are square and have leads around all four sides. Another idea is to put the prongs under the package, rather than just around the periphery. National Semiconductor Corp. and others are promoting a new technology called tape automated bonding. This does away

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ITC Fails On Crisis Solution

Calls on Britain For 'Rescue'

Agence France-Presse LONDON — The International Tin Council has failed again to find a way of pulling the world im mar-ket out of its crisis.

In a new development during the latest talks, which ended Thursday and which are to be resumed on Nov. 14, the ITC's six exporting members called on Britain, a tinproducing consumer member of the ITC, to provide a financial "rescue package." The aim would be to permit the orderly resumption of tin trading on the London Metal Exchange, which has been sus-pended since Oct. 24.

Britain alienated itself from the other members of the European Community when it said it was willing to contribute its 4-percent share of the ITC's debts, which are estimated at £600 million (about \$840 million).

In a statement issued at the end of the talks, the tin council, a UN agency empowered to regulate world supplies and prices of tin, said it had given "preliminary con-sideration" to a rescue plan pre-sented by its 16 creditors. The creditors planned a meeting for Friday.

The plan, which offered the metal deferment of loan and interest repayments in the next 12 months. was called "unacceptable" by some importing delegates who are members of the EC.

The exchange could now decide to prolong the suspension, which occurred when the ITC's buffer stock manager withdrew from the market because of a lack of funds to finance his operations. The suspension is in force through Friday. One of the conditions laid down

by the creditors required the six exporters — Indonesia, Malaysia, Thailand, Australia, Nigeria and Zaire — to produce £60 million pledged in September to the buffer stock manager.

Importing members insisted that producers should make the first move, but producers - led by Malaysia - wanted to see similar action by consumers first.

by Martin Crutsinger

The Associated Press WASHINGTON — Policy-

makers at the Federal Reserve

Board have decided against push-

faster than the target set by the

House of Representatives subcom-

mittee, said the policy-making Federal Open Market Committee

"chose not to move aggressively to

tighten reserve availability" to banks to "constrain M-1 growth."

money supply that includes curren-cy and deposits in checking ac-

counts, has been growing well above Fed targets for much of the year. The Fed seeks to control the growth of the money supply in an

effort to provide for steady, nonin-

acceptable even though it was still faster than the liberalized target

range for the second half of the

Some economists have warned that the surge in money growth carries a risk of rekindling infla-

tion. But others have urged the Fed to ignore the rapid growth, warning

money growth would send interest

rates higher and threaten the falter-

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Fed Averse to Pushing

Rates Up, Volcker Says

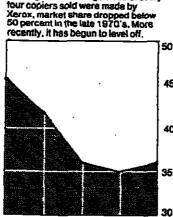
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Mr. Volcker, in a letter to a about the committee's delibera-

Japanese Meet Their Match in Xerox

Xerox's Market Share Levels Off Although a decade ago three of every four copiers sold were made by Xerox, market share dropped below 50 percent in the late 1970's, More



Copier Giant Restructures to

By Steven E. Prokesch New York Times Service NEW YORK - Xerox Corp. has managed to do what hardly any other U.S. company has done: stop the Japanese advance into its market. And its execu-tives even maintain that in some sectors they are recapturing lost

ground.

Defend Market

The turnaround comes only after the company gave up more than half of the market for plain paper copiers, which it created and virtually owned in the 1960s. Xerox, which long dictated to customers and ignored emerging competition, has rethought virtually every facet of its business from its approach to developing and manufacturing products to how it schedules lunch hours for employees. In doing so, it has narrowed significantly the ad-vantage that such Japanese com-

Corp. and Ricoh Co. had en-Other U.S. industries hardpressed by Japanese competition, ranging from autos to machine tools, are embracing some of the same approaches as Xerox but without nearly the success, so far. One reason is that Xerox is not as labor-intensive and has

a cooperative labor union. Even

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The Open Market Committee,

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that Mr. Volcker's comments might

have been a move to support the actions of the Reagan administra-

tion, which reached agreement with

Britain, France, Japan and West Germany in September to work together to drive down the value of the dollar on foreign exchange mar-

An expectation of downward

pressure on U.S. interest rates would tend to push the dollar low-

In his letter, to the House domes

tic monetary policy subcommittee, Mr. Volcker referred to the "rela-

tively high foreign exchange value of the dollar" as one of the factors the Federal Open Market Commit-

tee weighed in deciding not to send

The Reagan administration is seeking to push exchange rates of

off growing protectionist sentiment in Congress. The high dollar is cited as the chief reason for the

record \$150-billion trade deficit the

interest rates higher.

that any move on its part to restrain the dollar lower in an effort to head

mittee met on Monday and Tues- United States is expected to post

Hang Seng Index of Shares Reaches

Highest Level in 4 Years in Hong Kong

HONG KONG — Share prices closed sharply higher on the Hong Kong stock exchange on Thursday as institutional buying carried the

Hang Seng index to its highest level in more than four years, brokers

The index rose 21.17 to 1,721.93, its highest close since Aug. 19,

Hutchison Whampoa Ltd. on Wednesday that it would exercise an

option to buy the remaining 50 percent of an office building from its chairman, Li Ka-shing, for 258 million Hong Kong dollars (S33

It will pay half the total in stock, issuing 4.7 million shares valued at 27.41 dollars each. Hutchison closed 30 cents higher at 27.90.

Brokers said the market was aided by China Light & Power Co.'s report Wednesday of sharply higher annual profit. China Light shares

In addition, Cheung Kong (Holdings) Ltd. rose 40 cents to 20.80 dollars and Swire Pacific Ltd.'s A shares 40 cents to 29.00.

Hongkong Land Co. rose 5 cents to 6.95 dollars and Hongkong &

New World Development Co. gained 10 cents to 8.40 dollars and

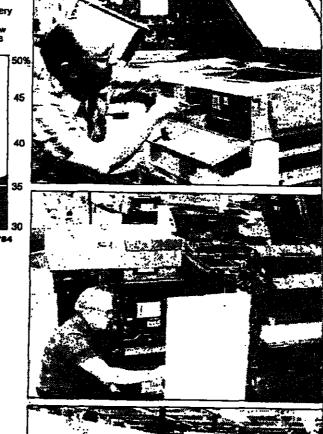
Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co. 5 cents to 7.50.

Sun Hung Kai Properties 10 cents to 13.40.

Brokers said investors were encouraged by an announ

Financial analysts speculated

panies as Canon Inc., Sharp





From top: To fix the 1025's feeder, Xerox used a 'crisis team.' The firm halved development time on the 9900. Users do not have to stop the 1090 to change paper.

"We've made a comeback," David T. Kearns, the chairman and chief executive, said in a telephone interview from Xerox

more important, analysts say, is headquarters in Stamford, Con-Xerox's superb execution of its headquarters in Stamford, Con-necticut. "We have come far necticut. "We have come far enough to know that we can continue to manufacture a substantial part of our machines in the

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Shell Group Net Tumbled 55% In 3d Quarter

NEW YORK -- The Royal Dutch/Shell Group reported Thursday that its profit numbled 55.1 percent in the third quarter and said it may be difficult to avoid downward pressures on oil prices in early 1986.

Royal Dutch/Shell, the world's second-largest oil company after Exxon Corp., attributed its lower profits to special charges of about \$280 million expenses related to its closing of a refinery in Curação. reductions in its marine fleet, a writedown of some U.S. coal assets and special incentive payments to Shell Oil Co. employees. Shell, based in Houston, is whol-

ly owned by Royal Dutch/Shell, which has headquarters in both En-gland and the Netherlands. Profit for the third quarter fell to £439 million from £978 million a year earlier, while revenue fell 7.9 percent, to £16.95 billion from £18.41 billion pounds.

The results are distorted slightly when converted into dollars because of fluctuations in exchange rates. Based on company calculations using average exchange rates for the third quarter of this year and a year earlier, profit fell to \$606 million on revenue of \$23.39 bil-lion, from \$1.27 billion on revenue of \$23.94 billion. In its report, Royal Dutch noted

a recent rebound in crude oil prices, which it attributed to seasonally low inventories in the hands of oil companies, coupled with a reduction in oil shipments to the West by Russia, the world's largest oil producer. Given normal winter condi-

tions in the Northern Hemisphere. the crude oil market may well 'muddle through' for the next few months," the company said. "But, with the adoption by most

producing countries of market-re-lated prices designed to regain or maintain market share, it may be difficult to avoid downward price pressures developing in the first quarter of 1986."

For the first nine months of the year, profit fell 20.8 percent although revenue increased 3.5 percent, Shell said. Profit dropped to

while revenue increased to £55.16 billion from £53.25 billion. When converted into dollars, as

computed by the company on the basis of exchange rates in each of the first three quarters, profit fell to \$2.63 billion from \$3.77 billion, and revenue fell to \$68.73 billion

from \$73.42 billion. Shell said that the underlying performance of its core oil and gas business improved relative to its manufacturing, marine and mar-keting operations. (AP, Reuters)

New FSLIC Unit Is Expected to Borrow Money

Washington Post Service DALLAS — The Federal Savings & Loan Insurance Corp. is expected to use the institution it created this week to borrow money against \$3.1 billion in real estate and other assets the insurance fund has taken over from failed institutions, sources in the industry

say.

The new organization, called the Federal Asset Disposition Association, would funnel about \$2.6 billion to FSLIC and use \$500 million for operations and debt service while deciding how to dispose of the assets that would bring in the most cash. according to sources at a convention of the U.S. League of Savings Institutions.

Although final decisions on how the new organization will work have not been made, the plan for borrowing funds probably from the Federal Home Loan banks — appears

to be the most likely scenario.

The idea for the new organization was conceived by a group of thrift industry leaders, and its petition for a federal charter was approved by the Federal Home Loan Bank Board this week.

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The order calls for delivery of 110 Boeing 737-300s, the most

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Under the agreement, some of the six Boeing 747-200s could be exchanged for delivery of Boeing's

most modern 747-400 model,

which is more fuel-efficient, has a

longer range and requires only a

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Chrysler Restructures Operations

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches DETROIT - Chrysler Corp. announced Thursday a reorganization that will create a corporate umbrella, run by the chairman, Lee A. Iacocca, and four separate oper-

ating units.

The realignment appears to remove Mr. Iacocca farther from Chrysler's core business of cars and inicks. The automotive unit is to be called Chrysler Motors and will be headed by Chrysler's current vice chairman, Gerald C. Greenwald. The three other units of Chrysler

are to be known as Chrysler Financial Corp., Gulfstream Aerospace georp and a new group. Chrysler ectmologies.

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The automaker, in a statement released by Mr. Iacocca, said it was "studying the possibility of formalizing the restructuring to make Chrysler Corp. legally a holding

Banking Changes Are to Be Gradual In Hong Kong

HONG KONG - Local banks and financial institutions will be granted a transition period of about two years to comply with the proposed reform of Hong Kong's banking laws, David Nendick, the secretary of monetary affairs, said Thursday.

But he said some new provisions may come into effect earlier than others to allow flexibility for the súpervisory system.

The government of the British colony will give the financial community adequate time to discuss the bill before it is enacted, he said. The draft bill is expected to be published by early next year.

A consensus on new requirements emerged in June, after the Hong Kong government took over Overseas Trust Bank Ltd., the second bank rescued since 1983.

Some banks and deposit-taking companies, however, have said they might be forced to move their business out of Hong Kong if the new,

more stringent rules become law.
"We don't want to take advantage of the present situation, where there is the mood for change, to rush through the legislation," said Mr. Nendick, a Bank of England apificial who took over as Hong-Kong's secretary of monetary affairs Wednesday after the retire- nature of Edison's product plans or ment of Douglas Blye.

The changes announced Thursday have been approved by Chrysler's directors, but the possible reformation of Chrysler-as a parent holding company needs the stockholders' approval.

"We are modernizing the company's structure to enable us to manage our businesses better," Mr. lacocca said. "Chrysler is a growing company, expanding its operations and becoming more international and complex. We can no longer continue to run it like a North American car-and-truck compa-

Sources close to the company said the reorganization was intend-ed to reflect Chrysler's recent and planned diversification to lessen its

dependence on cars and trucks. They said the plan had been in the works for months and had been

revised and delayed several times. It was unclear what type of cor-porate entity is being created to oversee the operating units of the company or whether Chrysler plans to offer separate categories of stock, as General Motors has done in the case of certain acquisitions. However, the move does give the company's different lines of business separate identities.

Chrysler this year has spent more than \$1 billion in acquiring Gulfstream Aerospace of Savannah, Georgia a corporate-jet maker, and financial-services units from

company with the operating groups
as subsidiary corporations."

Bank of America, E.F. Hutton & Co. and General Electric Co.

The sources said the new technology subsidiary apparently would include Chrysler's Huntsville, Alabama, electronics operation and future high-technology acauisitions.

Mr. Iacocca in recent years has gradually been turning over day-today control of the automotive business to Mr. Greenwald, who was among the first of the Ford Motor Co. executives lured to Chrysler by

"Greenwald will literally be running the car company on his own," said Baron Bates, a Chrysler

But the move inevitably will focus attention on Chrysler's longterm prospects without Mr. Ia-cocca, 61. Colleagues say he is spending more and more time in New York, where the Statue of Liberty fund-raising effort that he heads is based. The new arrangement appears to free him even further from the demands of Detroit.

"if there's a perception that he's withdrawing from the car company, it's going to hurt sales," said Douglas A. Fraser, the retired pres-ident of the United Auto Workers and a former Chrysler board member, who said he had no knowledge of the reorganization. "From Chrysler's point of view, it's not very wise to get him too far re-(LAT, UPI)

GM to Eliminate White-Collar

Regular Raises
New York Times Service DETROIT - General Motors Corp. is notifying most of its white-collar workers that beginning Jan. 1 it will eliminate their automatic cost-of-living increases.

Any new increases will be based mostly on performance, although length of service and other factors will be considered. GM said in a letter mailed to most of its salaried employees last weekend. About 125,000 workers in North America will

be affected by the change.

Analysts view the move as a way of cutting white-collar overhead. Joseph Phillippi of E.F. Hutton, said that with the lifting of the voluntary quotas on Japanese imports early this year and "the Japanese adding production here in the U.S., as well as new competition from Korea, Taiwan and Yugoslavia, this is where the battle is going to be in the second half of the

1980s." GM's acquisition of Electronic Data Systems Corp., which is seeking to eliminate paperwork in GM's systems, also points to a need for fewer employees by the company.
"It's cheaper to drive them out
than to fire them," Mr. Phillippi

COMPANY NOTES

Baverische Raiffeisen-Zentralbank AG said its management board chairman has taken a leave of absence until a special audit demanded by the federal Bank Supervisory Office is completed. BRZ is the Bavarian regional clearing bank in West Germany's co-operative

banking system. Control Data Corp., which expects a "substantial loss" in its overall computer business this year, said its computer peripherals business may break even in 1986 despite an expected revenue decline of \$700 million by then. The unit had revenues of \$1.5 billion in

Eastman Kodak Co. said its Eastman Technology unit formed a new division, Edison, to serve markets broadly associated with image processing. The company said it would be premature to reveal the specific

computer maker, expects its business will show better gains outside the United States next year than in its home market because of sluggish growth in the U.S. economy. The company said it is basing its 1986 business plan on expectations of 2-percent growth in the U.S.

Johnson Matthey Commodities Singapore Ltd. has decided to cease operations in Singapore and will apply for voluntary liquidation. The company, a unit of Johnson Matthey Bankers PLC, is engaged

in gold trading. Pechiney, the French stateowned metals producer, said it expects 1985 earnings to exceed last year's net of 165.5 million francs about \$21 million at current rates). Unilever NV said a West German subsidiary, Nordsee Deutsche

Honeywell Inc., Detroit-based in fish delicacies from Colgate-Palmolive's Riviana International unit. Terms were not disclosed.

United States Steel Corp. said it would raise its prices for hot-rolled bar and semifinished steel by \$40 a ton, effective Jan. 1, and eliminate its formal price list on the two items. It did not disclose the base

Sweden's Jobless Rate Falls The Associated Press

STOCKHOLM - Sweden's unmployment rate fell to 2.5 percent in October from 3.2 percent in September and 3.1 percent in October 1984, the government reported Thursday. In October, there were 112,000 persons without work, compared with 144,000 in October and 138,000 in October 1984, the government's statistical agency

Italy Debates Future of Mediobanca Boeing Sells

By Andrew Hurst

Reuters MILAN - A move to dismiss a director of Italy's leading merchant bank has triggered a dispute be-tween private industrialists and the 20vernment.

Enrico Cuccia, 78, the director, has run the influential governmentcontrolled Mediobanca SpA since 1946. Under his guidance, Mediobanca has carved out a unique role. weaving alliances between industri-al families in return for key holdings in private companies, such as Fiat and Olivetti.

Last month, the state industry minister. Clelio Darida, called for Mr. Cuccia to leave the bank.

Private industrialists, who regard Mr. Cuccia as a guardian of their interests, oppose his departure until the bank's strategy has been clearly mapped out. Mr. Cuccia devised an arrangement in the 1950s giving state and private shareholders — among them Giovanni Ag-nelli of Fiat SpA and Leopoldo Pirelli of Pirelli SpA — an equal say on the board, even though private capitalists have only a small stake in the bank.

Mr. Darida, backed by the dominant Christian Democratic Party, has cited Mr. Cuccia's age as grounds for retirement. Istituto Ricostruzione Industriale, the gov-ernment holding company with the majority interest in Mediobanca, has a mandatory retirement age of

A meeting of shareholders cheduled for October to decide Mr. Cuccia's fate was canceled

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members' production, perhaps as-

signing smaller quotas in the sum-

mer, and would leave official prices

"hanging up in the air as an indica-tor," he said. Actual prices for OPEC oil would continue to float

up and down with the free market.

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Industry Minister Renato Altis- attentions of the parties." Mr. Rosimo said this week that the debate miti said in a recent interview with over Mr. Cuccia's age was detract- the Turin newspaper La Stampa. ing from the main issue: that control of Mediobanca should be ceded to private interests.

"IRL that is the state, must surrender control of Mediobanca to private interests in exchange for fresh capital." he was quoted as saying in the daily newspaper Corriere della Sera. Some analysts say the industrial-

ists are worried that, with Mr. Cuccia gone, Mediobanca's strategic holdings in their companies would fall into less sympathetic hands. Cesare Romiti, managing direc-

Mediobanca could fall prey to political interference after Mr. Cuccia 'Until now, despite the fact that sit at board meetings but deny him

tor of Fiat, has said he feared that

Britain to Sell Rest of C&W

LONDON - Cable & Wireless PLC said Thursday that the British government would probably dispose of its remaining shares next

The company, which operates communications facilities in more than 60 countries, said it expected the government to sell its remaining 102.5 million shares, or 22.7 percent, in December.

C&W also said it intended to raise new capital for expansion at when representatives of the three the same time as the government IRI-owned banks that control Mesale by issuing 56.4 million new port authority in the next financial diobanca did not appear. A meetshares, some of which would be year.

Yamani Predicts Oil-Price War Next Year

market value of refined products,

such as gasoline and heating oil. Netback sales, which currently

total slightly more than one million

barrels a day, are limited to oil

companies that have their own re-

fining and marketing networks and

agree not to dump the oil on the

So far, Japanese companies have

been excluded from netback sales

because their government artificial-

sets oil-product prices. Sheikh

spot market.

Yamani said.

Canada. The Conservative government of Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher, which is committed to reducing the government's involvement in the onomy, sold a 49-percent stake in C&W in 1981 and disposed of an-

other block two years later. The government has also sold large holdings in governmentowned telephone and aerospace companies as well as the Jaguar car group. It announced plans Wednesday to sell shares in British Gas Corp. and the country's air-

Because oil-product prices have

risen recently, Sheikh Yamani said.

the netback price of Saudi crude

has climbed to within \$1 of the

kingdom's official prices, which are

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He also said that Saudi Arabia

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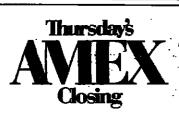
"United will confront a more competitive market when this transaction is completed than ex-

ists today," she said Thursday. She has contended that United. because of its domestic feed system and a concentration of major hubs in the West, might be the only airline to vigorously compete with Japan Air Lines, now the largest carrier crossing the Pacific.

U.S. competitors have complained that the acquisition from Pan Am will make United a dominant carrier in the rapidly growing Pacific market.

The airline has said it would be ready by the end of November to take over Pan Am's Pacific routes, along with 18 of Pan Am's widebodied jets and its ground opera-

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A Revamped Xerox Keeps the Japanese at Bay

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associate professor at the Harvard "It's a significant achievement," added Eugene G. Glazer, an ana-

lyst at Dean Witter Reynolds Inc. been overshadowed by other problems at the company: its troubles with Crum & Forster Inc., the property and casualty insurer it purchased in 1983, and its struggles to expand beyond copiers into a prices mean that Xerox must now products. But during this period, Xerox's

dergone a transformation. This operation, which last year accounted for nearly 75 percent of Xerox's paper copier, the 914, was one of operating revenues of \$8.79 billion, has cut in half manufacturing costs and the time to develop products. In addition, quality problems have been cut by two-thirds in two this year. years. Xerox's "customer satisfac-

chines, a company record.

United States and compete on a profits from Xerox's copier busi- ly.

The Xerox of the late 1970s was a copier busi- ly. & Forster, And William F. Glavin. Business School who wrote a recent Xerox's vice chairman, says that case study of Xerox's turnaround. after a 14-year slide, the profit margins on office equipment are growdided Eugene G. Glazer, an analing. In an apparent recognition of its comeback, Xerox's stock was trading at \$53.50 at the close een overshadowed by other prob-Exchange, near its 52-week high of

\$55,50. broad range of office-automation sell twice as many copiers as five years ago to generate an equal amount of revenue. mainstay copier business has un-

Xerox, in a way, was a victim of its early triumphs. The company's — and the world's — first plain the most successful new products in corporate history. That accomplishment earned the 914 a place in the Smithsonian Institution earlier

Xerox had such a stranglehold tion index" — compiled from a on the copier market throughout monthly survey of 50,000 Xerox the 1960s and early 1970s that it customers — has jumped more hardly paid attention when Interthan 30 percent in the same period. national Business Machines Corp. Xerox's new line of office copiers and Eastman Kodak Co. began — the 10. or Marathon, series in making high-speed copiers, the troduced in 1982 - has been a most lucrative part of the market. smash success. So far. Xerox has Nor did Xerox worry when the Japanese began to offer small, inex-pensive copiers in the mid-1970s, motions, now product quality and models it replaced. sold more than 600,000 of the ma- anese began to offer small, mex-

Mainly because of that success, . an area Xerox ignored until recent-

United States and compete on a worldwide basis."

Analysts and others agree. "Xerox is one of the first American companies in an industry targeted but the Iananese to stem the inroads but the Iananese to stem t being made by the Japanese, said billion, although the company as a chines had to be resolved by Mr. Leonard A. Schlesinger, a former whole had a loss because of Crum Kearns. The result was slow product development, high manufacturing costs, copiers hard to service and unhappy customers.

"Our costs were not only way out in left field, they weren't even in the ball park," Mr. Kearns conceded. "We were borrified to find that the Japanese were selling their small machines for what it cost us to make ours." The 55-year-old Mr. Kearns, an IBM alumnus who joined Xerox in 1971 and became chief executive in 1982, has led the crusade to overhaul Xerox.

Since 1980, the company has spent nearly \$100 million to automate manufacturing and materials handling. These expenditures have helped enable it to halve the number of people in its manufacturing operations and its cost to make a

manages its business. Nowadays, much of the corporate staff is gone. In its place are entrepreneurial product-development teams and problem-solving" teams.

customer satisfaction are just the

important As a result, it took Xerea only 2% years and 300 to 350 people to

develop its 9900 copies, a manspeed machine introduced last half that is the top of Xerox's corner line. In the past, it would have taken Xerox at least five years and as many as 1,500 people, according to Daniel W. Cholish, the projects chief engineer.

Xerex has gone to extremes to study its Japanese competitors. process aided by the company successful Japanese subadiary. To-kyo-based Fuji Xerox Corp.

One thing Xerox has learned from the Japanese is that it must work more closely with fewer suppliers. It has pared its vendors from 5,000 to 300.

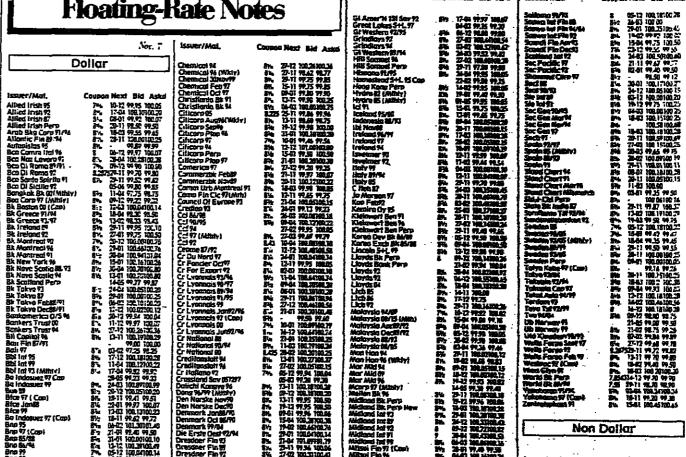
When a problem with the paper feeding system in Xerox's new 1025 desktop copier turned up just be-fore the machine's scheduled introduction, for instance, a crisis team that included suppliers corrected copier, for an annual savings of the problem in less than two about \$500 million. Xerox has overhanled the way it past would have easily cost us half a year or more," said Wayland R. Hicks, the group vice president of copies development and produc-

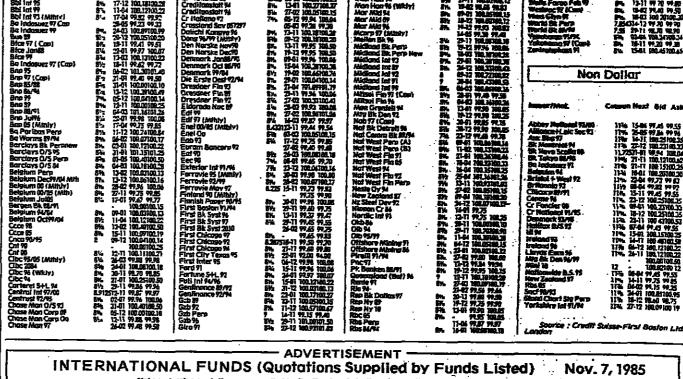
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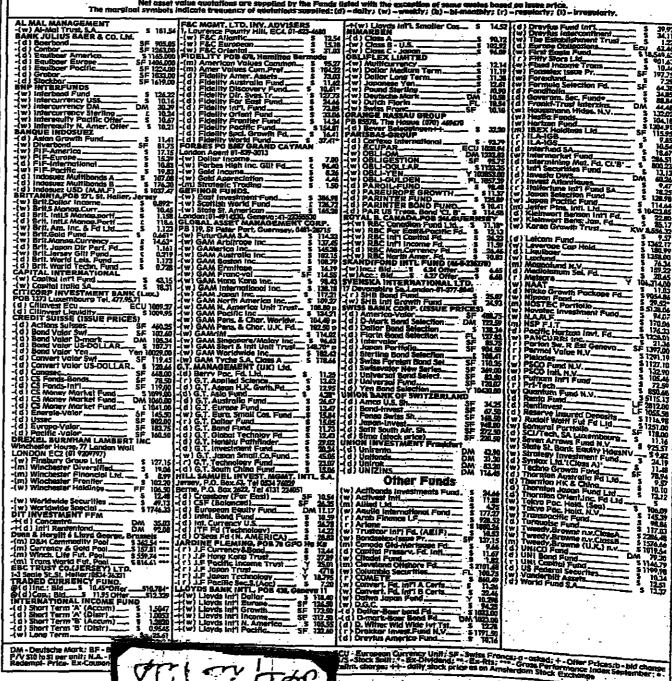
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Dollar Closes Higher in European, U.S. Trading

Old Issues Ease Near the Close; EDF Has 2 Warrant Offers

closed higher Thursday in Europe deal a heavy blow to Japan's export against the yen and 1.5 percent against the Deutsche mark on reports that the Bank of Japan

vention to drive the currency lower. meeting on Sept. 22 and will in-The currency also found support in a warning by a senior official of "firm." the Federal Reserve Board that an excessive drop in the dollar would York said the Bank of Japan con-

pressure on U.S. interest rates. In Tokyo, where the dollar chances" that it will continue to sell strengthening was called for. dollars to further boost the yen

By Christopher Pizzey
Reuters

LONDON - Prices of seasoned

issues in the dollar-straight and

nating-rate sectors of the Euro-

bond market generally eased to-

ward the close Thursday on the

back of declines in U.S. credit mar-

kets, dealers said. But actual selling

In the primary market, Electri-

The first was a \$100-million

bond issue with warrants attached.

while the second was a warrants-

only offer in the Swiss market.

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THE EUROMARKETS

NEW YORK — The dollar value of the dollar and also could

indicated that the bank is departing seemed likely to back away from its from the bold intervention policy it recent policy of aggressive inter- adopted after the Group of Five

A senior currency dealer in New renew inflation and put upward tacted him earlier this week and

expressed similar sentiments.
The official's comments overraged to a five-year low of 202.70 shadowed remarks earlier in the yen from Wednesday's close of day by the Bank of Japan's gover-206.50, the Japanese news agency nor, Satoshi Sumita, that the yen's Kyodo quoted a Bank of Japan five-year high against the dollar did official as saying Thursday that the "not yet reflect Japan's economic central bank now sees "reduced fundamentals" and that a further

In Europe, the dollar ended at tainst the U.S. currency. 205.15 yea, up from its opening Any further appreciation of the 203.35 and Wednesday's close of

issue pays 10% percent a year over million Swiss-franc bond issue that trade widely on the market.

205.10. It also rebounded there to close at 2.6238 DM from 2.5935 on Thursday, the dollar was fixed at Wednesday, to 2.1550 Swiss francs from 2,1392, and to 7.9750 French francs from 7,9175.

The advance continued in later New York trading, where the dollar rose still higher from the London close. The U.S. currency rose to 205.30 yen from 205.00 on Wednesday; to 2.6355 DM from 2.5970; to 2.1600 Swiss francs from 2.1370, and to 8.0200 French francs from 7.9100.

Testimony by Stephen Axilrod, the U.S. Federal Reserve Board's staff director for monetary policy, that too large and abrupt a drop in the dollar would put upward pres-sure on U.S. inflation and interest rates also aided the dollar, dealers said. Mr. Axilrod spoke before a House subcommittee on monetary

"Intervention, and exchange rate changes, are no substitute for sound underlying policies," he said.

In other European markets midasternoon in Franksurt at 2.5935 DM, down from 2.6048 at Wednesday's fixing; at 7.9080 French francs in Paris, down from 7.9290, and at 2.99425 Dutch guilders in Amsterdam, up from

Meanwhile, the British pound turned sharply lower against the dollar and continental currencies amid widespread speculation that oil prices will fall. Worries over the crisis at the London Metal Exchange hurt the pound as well,

Sterling ended in London at \$1.4173, down 2 cents from Wednesday's close of \$1.4365, and at 3.7185 DM, down from 3.7335. In later trading in New York, the pound closed at \$1.4120, down from \$1.4370 Wednesday.

(Reuters, AFP, IHT)

China May Ban Imports of TVs

BELJING - China, which earlier this week announced a two-year han on most vehicle mports, may extend the ban to other consumer goods, an offi-cial of Toshiba Corp. of Japan said Thursday.

"The ban may be extended to other goods, especially televi-sions," Miyoshi Kousuke, a To-

shiba director, said. China imposed controls in March to limit imports, mostly from Japan and Hong Kong, and to preserve China's foreign-exchange reserves, which fell to \$10.85 billion at the end of June, compared with \$16.47 billion a year earlier.

Packaging Is the Focus

(Continued from Page 11) with the need for wires connecting the chip to the package and with the metal prongs. Instead, the connections are etched onto a thin sheet of copper foil. The space between the leads is only two-hundredths of an inch, five times smaller than when legs are spaced on the

conventional dual in-line package. For really high-speed computers, where the chips must be extremely close together, an option is to do away with the packages around each chip. The chips are connected directly to a surface containing multiple levels of wiring to link the

International Business Machines Corp. is well advanced in such mul-tichip modules. One of the major region, which will continue to be advances in its mainframe computule, which packs chips close together while removing the heat.

the new London-based post of LONDON - Procter & Gamble manager of financial institutions Co. has announced the appointfor the United Kingdom, the Mid-dle East and Africa. He moves to ment of new heads for its Southern European and British operations and changes in the composition of its Southern and Northern Europe-

for relations with institutions in the Middle East and Africa. tergem and foods company said Larry G. Dare, general manager of its British arm, Procter & Gamble Ltd., had been appointed division manager for Southern Europe. Mr. Dare will be based in Brussels and

company refused to comment on Mr. Meyer's departure. Succeeding Mr. Dare as head of Procter & Gamble Ltd. will be advising institutional clients on the Ronald G. Pearce. He moves to

Newcastle upon Tyne, England, from Geneva, where he has been general manager of special opera-tions at Procter & Gamble AG. With the appointment of Mr. Dare as head of Southern Europe, Procter & Gamble has shifted responsibility for its operations in the United Kingdom from its Northern European region to Southern

BUSINESS PEOPLE

By Brenda Erdmann

The Cincinnati-based soap, de-

claude L. Meyer, who is leaving the company after three months in that position. Spokesmen for the

European region. In addition, the company has moved the headquar ters for Southern Europe to Brussels. As division manager for Southern Europe, Mr. Meyer was based in Paris. Under the new structure. Procted & Gamble's operations in Italy Spain and the United Kingdom

will report to Mr. Dare. Responsibility for its operations in France will be transferred from Southern headed by Robert T. Blanchard.

Delsey GmbH has named Karlheinz Tretter managing director He joins the West German arm of the French luggage maker from the U.S. luggage concern, Samsonite, where he held the post of sales

has appointed Edward Greene to London from the Chicago headquarters, where he was responsible

stockbroker that is merging with the London-based merchant bank, Hill Samuel & Co., is opening a representative office in Tokyo. The office will be shared with Hill Samuel. Overall management of Wood Mackenzie's Far East operations is the responsibility of Christopher Brader, who formerly was with the British stockbroker Casenove. Pe-ter de Val leads the sales and trading team in London for the Tokyo venture. He spent the past six years

Japanese market. Enskilda Securities of London

P&G Reorganizes Europe Operations First National Bank of Chicago has elected Red Hall and the board. He is an executive the new ident of the Stockholz-Tank Farcat, Skandinaviska Entitle Bunken, and a special adviser to the management group of Enskilds Fondkommission, a new democks investment banking unit.

Swedish Match AR, the Stack holm-based home improvements consumer products and passageng company, said it is forming a new operating group and an interna-tional finance company, effective Jan. 1. The company is mer see its march division and the consumer division of its Akerlund & Rausing packing division. Massime Rossi, president of the match division, has been appointed president of the new consumer products group. The finance company. Swedish Match Finance International, will be based in Brussels with Peo Lindholm, vice president of finance at Swedish Match, serving as chair-

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warrants are exercised in the first bond offer in the U.S. market. five years, the host bond must be Denmark launched a zero-cou-pon bond issue with a redemption tendered, thereafter if the warrants are exercised, it will be at 100 peramount of \$100 million. The fiveyear issue was priced at 644 and The lead manager was Credit was quoted inside the 1%-percent Commercial de France and the fees at a discount of 1 by the lead host bond was quoted at a a dis-manager, Lehman Brothers Inter-

count of 1% while the warrants rose national. to trade at about \$20 each, dealers Sumitomo Electric Industries Ltd. launched a \$50-million bond The company also offered 40,000 issue that dealers said was targeted warrants in the Swiss market priced at Japanese investors. The sevenat \$137.50 each. Each warrant enti-tles the holder to buy into a 200-and was priced at 101%. It did not year issue pays 101/4 percent a year

High Low Stock

In the floating-rate-note sector, the State Bank of India launched a \$100-million floating-rate-note issue. The 12-year issue pays 10 basis points over the six-month London interbank offered rate and has investor put options after five, seven and 10 years. The lead manager was Llovds Merchant Bank and the issue was quoted on the market at 99.75 bid, compared with the total fees of 30 basis points.

In the secondary markets, the dollar-straight sector finished easier, having initially risen on the advances in its mainframe comput-strength of the benchmark 30-year ers is its thermal conduction mod-U.S. long bond in London trading,

The floating-rate-note sector also tended to drift off, although on packaging and already domilosses were basically limited to two or three basis points, they added.

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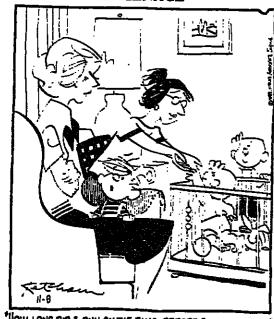
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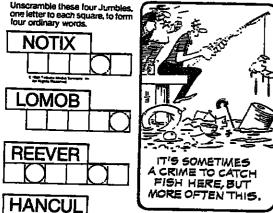
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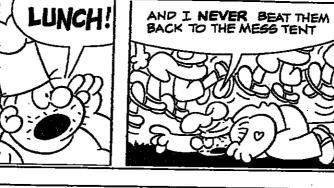






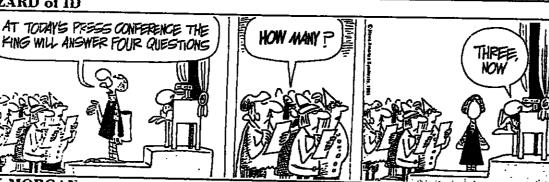
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Labyrinths in the Lotus Land By Sasthi Brata. 330 pages. \$19.95. William Morrow, 105 Madison Avenue,

BOOKS

VENGEANCE: India After the Assassination of Indira Gandhi

By Pranay Gupte. 368 pages. \$16.95. W. W. Norton & Co. Inc, 500 Fifth Avenue, New York, N. Y. 10110.

Reviewed by Anita Desai

New York, N. Y. 10016.

INDIA:

SASTHI BRATA was obviously commissioned to write a readable (i.e. racy) book about India, and he did not heed Nehru's warning: "To endeavor to understand and describe the India of today would be the task of a brave man - to say anything about tomorrow's India would verge on rashness."

He set out visiting his family, staying at the best hotels if not always their finest suites, and collecting the material that he has put together with the greatest speed, even considerable effi-ciency, but in a manner that leaves one breathless and dizzy. Abstractions are jumbled with pithily demotic truisms. Subjects are picked up and tossed aside or dropped. One wonders if any editor attempted to deal with it all or simply gave up.

In a foreword that manages to combine emposity with a tumbling style, he claims his book will paint for us "a general picture in broad brushstrokes." He means to present in-dia's "myriad aspects of despair and splendor, of destitution and opulence, of majestic modernity and primitive superstition." The result reads as though he had set aside the brush and flung buckets of paint at the canvas. One is surprised to find that he sees himself as a latter-day Cavafy "standing at a slight angle to the universe," which he attributes to his having left India to live in England, a position he finds a valuable vantage point.

His position is a matter of some fascination to him. At least three times, he mentions that he is a Brahmin, and in two explains that he lopped off his family name, Chakravarti, so that "no one would know what caste or family or geographical region I came from." But then he goes on to divulge, unasked, that its translation is "suzerain of the realm."

In case his readers are still not sufficiently instructed, he tells us, "Like the WASPs consciousness of effortless superiority, most Hin-dus, especially Brahmins from the highest caste, who have any direct knowledge and experience of their religion, inherit a whisper of this legacy. The late Indira Gandhi did, as does her son Rajiv. . . and so perhaps do 1."

Brata is in fact very good when describing the minutiae of this hierarchy and its cumbersome burden of ritual and custom. His language takes on a crispness, his power of observation an acuteness that is just right when dealing with arcane and anachronistic rituals in a contemporary setting. His description of his parents' marriage is full of insight and sympathy, while remaining coolly objective. It is when he takes on the general picture that he begins to pour on generalities and superlatives by the bucket. The colors run together and turn

Prany Gupie's "Vengeance: India After the Assassination of Indira Gandhi is a more, sober and staid piece of investigation. He and his publisher have had the good sense to limit its scope to the political and economic scene, His exposition of the Punjab crisis, what led to it, and its aftermath, is concise and lucid - at the expense of being simplistic. He gives the foreign reader all the information required to understand it, although it reads rather like six months' of newspaper headlines at one sitting.

His interpretation is not without bias. Mrs. Gandhi is named the sole insugator, creator and culprit of the crisis and all its horrors, instead of being one more symptom — and a victim more visible than any other — of a more widespread malaise. Attrochies by Hindus on Sikhs are listed. (He calls the murder of 2,000 to 3,000 Sikhs in the aftermath of Mrs. Gazdhio accessions a belocatest which is murder.) dhi's assessination a holocaust, which is sure a misuse of the term since there are 14 million Sikhs in India). But little is made of those committed by Sikhs on Hindus. The Air India crash and the murder of the Sikh leader Harchand Singh Longowal just after he signed the accord with Rajiv Gandhi occurred after the writing of this book. But such crimes as the stopping of buses and slaughtering of all males of one community or the tortures and murders committed within the Golden Temple or the planting of transister bombs in the hands of

innocent people, go unmentioned.

Pranay Gupte is naive if he imagines that the old priest in the Golden Temple who blessed him with "a gentle smile" is in control of the Khalistan movement, or if he expects us to believe in the Sikh woman encountered on a plane who is reading a volume of verse, conveniently marked at Tagore's famous poem "Where the Mind is Without Fear," which every schoolchild in India knows by heart. To separate the communities into the goodies and the baddies as in a Bombay film will neither elucidate nor edify. It creates more of the communal tension that he deplores and we, in India, fear.

Mrs. Gandhi comes in for such harsh criticism in his commentary on the political scene, whether in Punjab, Kashmir or Andhra Pradesh, that one feels it is the raison d'être of this book. It takes one by surprise, therefore, when he goes on to describe India's industrial and economic front in glowing terms. Apparently this is because he chose to interview only those at the helm, as they say, of industry; such huminaries as the chairman of the Great Eastern Shipping Company, the editor of India's leading magazine, India Today, the chairman of India's Nuclear Power Board, a senior member of the Oil and Natural Gas Commission and so on. Although initially dubious about Rajiv Gandhi's ability to rule, Gupte. on seeing his first budget with its till away from the public towards the private sector, exults, "I was disbelieving at first because no Indian administration had ever been so bold in rooting for the private sector, and, of course, I was lighted at the new economic direction in

which Rajiv Gandhi was now taking India."
It is clear Gupte did not share the shock or dismay of those who searched the budget to so what was being done for the poor and the weak. It is telling that he interviewed no single labor union leader, let alone a laborer. Instead of seeking out those who live and work in the fields, the slums and mills, he met and mingled with, overwhelmingly, the beautiful people,

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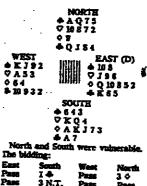
BRIDGE

By Alan Truscott

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Glory Days at Green Bay: An Older Kramer Remembers 'the Block' The Block has been replayed so many times walks into the huddle taking requests. It is a seen almost feel the raw and bitter bow cool is that?)

WASHINGTON - If you were to compile a list of the most memorable plays in National Football League history, these four would make it: Alan Ameche's touchdown run that gave the 1958 Baltimore Colts a sudden-death championship over the New York Giants in what still is called "The Greatest Game Ever Played;" the "Immaculate Reception" by Franco Harris of the Pittsburgh Steelers, Dwight Clark's catch that sent the San Francisco 49ers to Super Bowl XVI, and Bart Starr following Jerry Kramer's block into the end zone to score on fourth and one with 13 seconds left, beating Dallas in the 1967 NFL championship. Ahh, The Block

Kramer still hears about it. He was in San Francisco a couple of years ago, about to cross a street, when the driver of a ear rolled down his window and called out, "Jerry Kramer?" "Right," Kramer acknowledged.

Kramer kept a diary of that 1967 season that he called "Instant Replay." He is back now with the same co-author, Dick Schaap, and a similar title, "Distant Replay," a warm reminiscence

and how hard it is to express, and about creeping anonymity, and how hard it is to face.

Kramer writes of a recent conversation he had with his beloved teammate, Fuzzy Thurston: "We started talking about depressing things, about growing old and being forgotten, and Fuzzy said something I'll always remember. You know, Jerry, nobody wants to be Fuzzy anymore.' It captured in six words the sadness of being an ex-athlete, the loss, the word. When we were young, when we were champions, everyone envied us. Everyone wanted to know us.

I'm Fuzzy Thurston!' It was the schoolteachers, too, and the lawyers and the stockbrokers. Professional football was a soaring sport, and we were its soaring stars. We were everybody's heroes, and we knew it would never end."

What a team that was. Six Hall of Famers: Starr, Jim Taylor, Ray Nitschke, Willie Davis, Forrest Gregg, Herb Adderley. Seven, counting the revered coach, Vince Lombardi. And Hornung, Thurston, Kramer, Max McGee, Willie Wood, etc., etc. "Perfection isn't attainable."

How much the game has changed. Kramer, a flat-faced, ham-fisted man, was a 225-pound (102-kilogram) guard when he reported to the Packers in 1958. Hornung ran a five-second-flat 40 yards (36.5 meters). "We weren't big and we weren't fast," Kramer said. "I look at today's players and I'm awed and confused. They're so pumped up, so awesome. Where's the valve? They've got to have a valve somewhere, where you put the air in."

How many of the great old Packers would definitely make the NFL today? Just on physi-Everyone wanted to be us. It wasn't just the kids cal talent, not heart, not brains. How many in the schoolyard shouting, 'Tm Paul Hornung!' would not be spit out by the computer as too would not be spit out by the computer as too weak, too small, too slow?

Kramer thought about it, and after a while he

"Herb Adderley would make it," Kramer said convincingly, and he did not push the list any longer than one. But it is apples and oranges, is it not?

Those Packers were right for their time, and perhaps no single play better exemplified what they were about as a team than the one that brought Starr and Kramer into history.

16-below-zero temperature (minus 26.6 degrees Celsius) they played in. We can close our eyes a suggestion. I might want a trap: Fuzzy might and remember how condensation turned the want to go off tackle; the ends might want a

Since two timeouts preceded the play, each team had ample time to prepare for the game's climactic snap. Today's fan would doubtless assume the specific play was called on the sidegot anything?" line and given to Starr by the forceful Lombardi. In fact, during the first timeout, Lombardi suggested that the ball be handed to fullback Chuck ercein for the "44-dive," but he left the final decision to Starr, who called his own plays.

The way Kramer tells it, "we were ready to huddle when the second timeout was called. Bart went over to talk with Coach, but he came back rather quickly because Coach was out of plays. Bart came back empty. No new sugges-tion. Zero. We huddle and Bart says, 'Has anybody got anything? Anybody?"

(Fourth and goal from the one. Dynastic Green Bay left with one last play, trailing, 17-14. The NFL's most celebrated team coached by its most celebrated man, and the quarterback

"Normally, in that situation, everybody's got players' breath to fog that rose like papal smoke into the mean air.

want to go on tasta, me deal quick slant, or a post, Everybody's got an idea. But in this particular situation, 10 guys looked down and checked their shoeshines. Not a sound. Not one sound.

"And Bart asked again, 'Anybody? Anybody

"Finally, Gale Gillingham, playing on the left side next to Fuzzy, he says, 'Run it between Jerry and Forrest. They'll get it for us." "Gilly volunteered me. I couldn't back out of

it then. Not hardly." Starr said he would run the play, "61-wedge," and because the field was frozen, a slippery sheet of ice, he would keep the ball himself rather than risk handing it off to either Mercein or Donny Anderson.

Kramer laid The Block on the defensive linechampionship and fame was a bottomless cup.

Winning is not a sometime thing here. Lombardi often admonished his players. "It's place is: hinky-dinky.



Jerry Kramer, in a 1965 photograph

an all-the-time thing; you don't win once in a while. You don't do things right once in a while: you do them right all the time. There's no room man Jethro Pugh, Starr nudged into the end for second place here. There's a second-place zone, Green Bay had its third straight NFL bowl game, and it's a hinky-dinky football game, held in a hinky-dinky town, played by hinky-dinky football players. That's all second

European Soccer Gets Finnish First

LONDON - Juventus and Kuusysi Lahti, the prince nd the painper of European soccer, have marched to-ether into the quarterfinals of the Champions' Cup

Kunsysi made history Wednesday night by becoming the first Finnish club to reach the third round of any European competition, defeating Zenit Leningrad, 3 in overtime to qualify on a 4.3 aggregate. Only 2,893 speciators saw Knusysi's triumph, but they sounded more like 28,000 when Jarmo Karvonurmi beat the Soviet Union's team by heading in a goal 21 minutes into the

in contrast, there were no fans to cheer the defending champion Juventus in a match played behind closed gates at the Stadio Communale. Juventus supporters have been banned for two home matches because of crowd misbehavior against Liverpool of England in the Brussels soccer riot last May, when 39 persons were Brusser killed.

Juventus, with goals from the French national team captain, Michel Platini, and Aldo Serena, made the last cight with a 2-0 victory over Italian league rival Verona, adding to its scoreless draw at Verona two weeks ago.

With English clubs barred from European competition, it was left to Aberdeen of Scotland to carry the British flag by edging Servette, I-0, after drawing by a 0-0 score in the first-leg match in Switzerland.

Frank McDougal's 23d-minute header ensured a vic-tory for Aberdeen, which two years ago won the Cup inners' Cup competition.

Bayern Munich, three times the European Champion in the mid-1970s, twice came from behind to tie Austria Vienna, 3-3, and qualify. The Germans, trailing by 2-1 with 10 minutes to play, were rescued by goals from Norbert Nachtweih and Michael Rummenigge in Vien-Arrol Conse na

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Atletico Madrid's Arteche, center, went up for a beader and almost caught a left as the goalie for Bangor City, Wales, punched away the ball during a Cup Winners' Cup match. The Spaniards won, 1-0.

Soviet Men Win Team Title At Gymnastics Championship MONTREAL - The Soviet

Union, getting excellent optional routines Wednesday night from Yuri Korolev and Vladimir Artemoy, reclaimed the men's team title at the World Gymnastics Championship as 1983 champion China finished second.

The Soviet Union scored 585.65 points in two rounds of competition on the floor, pommel horse, rings, vault, parallel bars and high bar. China, rallying from fourth place after Monday's team compulsories, got a perfect 10.0 from Tong Fei and three scores of 9.90 from Li Ning to win the silver medal with 582.60 points.

That bumped East Germany to third with a total of 581.05 and Japan to fourth at 579.70, but the Chinese could not overcome the Soviet Union's nearly four-point

The United States, the Olympic gold medalist only a year ago in Los Angeles, was seventh after a dismal night in which both Tim Daggett and Scott Johnson fell off the high bar and all of the team members performed lackadaisical-

All of the team's scores and mistakes counted, since it was a man short, having lost Dan Hayden to a dislocated ankle earlier in the week.

"On the one hand, they are ready to perform complicated exercises." said the Soviet coach, Leonid Arkaev. "On the other hand, they are not very strong yet. I couldn't say the impression they left was very

Artemov and Sylvio Kroll of East Germany, each with 117.80 ual all-around competition. The Soviet Union, which will be limited to three gymnasts in the all-around, landed four in the top 10 and all its

team placed in the top 20. Korolev was third with 117.50 points, followed by teammate Valentin Mogilnyi at 117.10 and Li at 116.95. China's Xu Zhiqiang was sixth with 116.90 and Japan's Olympic champion, Koji Gushi-

ken, was seventh at 116.55. The Chinese, who had 293.15 points in the optionals to the Soviet Unions' 292.50, still were angry Wednesday night that they had been assigned to do their compulsory exercises Monday in the first group that morning, when the judges usually mark lower. The Soviet team was among the last to do compulsories, Monday night

"I think there is too much difference between the scores given in the daytime and in the evening, the Chinese coach, Zhang Jian, said through an interpreter. "The competition system must be changed so it can be the same way for all the people. A routine that gets a 9.6 in the morning might be a 9.9 in the

Zhang's comments were trans-lated into English, then the Soviet team interpreter whispered them in Russian to Arkaev and Artemov at a news conference following the awards ceremony.

Arkaev smiled and disagreed

"The men's competition committee tries very hard to make the shot." judging the most objective possi-ble," he said. "I would rather say time doesn't influence the results. said he was "just glad it's over and ipid or But I'd say evening performance is (LAT) the best time possible." (AP, UPI)



AI Wood of the Sonics had difficulty maneuvering past Eric Floyd and the other Warriors in Wednesday night's game.

Warriors Get Two Guns, Shoot Up SuperSonics

OAKLAND, California - In one day, the Golden State Warriors changed their complexion from gloomy to bright.

On Tuesday, they were a National Basketball Association team go-

ing nowhere with a 1-5 record. On Wednesday, they announced that top draft pick Chris Mullin finally had come to terms and that the contract dispute involving the team's scoring leader, Purvis Short,

Hours later, Mullin and Short, despite not having practiced with the team, led the Warriors to a 105-101 victory over the Seattle Super-

had been resolved.

Mullin made 6-of-9 shots, getting 15 points in 24 minutes of play. It was his shot from the baseline with 19 seconds to play that put Golden State ahead, 104-101. He said it "really felt good. I was

just trying to set a pick for Purvis and I fell down. Then I found myself open in the corner, so I took the

The 6-foot-6 (1.98-meter) former all-America guard from St. John's glad I got my feet wet. I didn't know the plays — my game really

hinges on outthinking the opposition, and I really could not do that a lot because I was unacquainted with the offense."

NBA FOCUS

Short, fourth in the NBA in scoring last season, had 24 points as he and the center Joe Barry Carroll shared scoring honors for their team. "We talked on the court and read

each others' instincts," said Short. "It felt like there was great relief in the locker room before the game. That level of confidence never existed last year."

Short said Mullin "understands the game. It was simple basketball tonight: just pass and cut."

Xavier McDaniel, Seattle's top draft pick, scored a game-high 25 points and Al Wood got 24 for the Sonies. However, Wood was called for a traveling violation with 10 seconds left and his team down by three points.

"We turned the hall over too much," said Seattle's coach, Bernie Bickerstaff, "Our major problem so many unforced errors.

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NEW YORK—Announced that James Balley, forward, will be out for two to three weeks
because at partially forn ligaments in his left
lines.

PHILADELPHIA—Signed Voise Winters, forward, to a one-year contract. Placed Andrew Teney, suard, an injured reserve. SEATTLE—Activated Tim McCormict, forward-cenier, from the injured reserve list.

FOOTBALL
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CHCAGO—Extended the contract of Dan
Hamblan, defensive lineman, through 1989.
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er. Walved Joe Prokop, ponier. INDIANAPOLIS—Pieced Tim Sherwin, light end, on Injured reserve. Signed Kell McGresor, tight end. N.Y. GIANTS—Signed Earnest Gray, wide SAN FRANCISCO-Walved Jim Leonard.

center. Activated John Horty, defensive end. SEATTLE—Released Andre Hordy, tuli-back, Sjaned John Williams, fullback. TAMPA BAY—Signed Mark Studoway, densive end, and K.D. Dynn, light end. Placed Jerry Bell, running back, and Larry Kubin, tinebacker, on the injured reserve. HOCKEY
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you either play within a certain time limit or you are told to leave the course.

any complaints got to the mayor, I never heard about Denver began applying its speeded-up play rule early

this season at two of its public courses. Wellshire and Kennedy, where it was not uncommon to take six hours to

predominant at those two courses," said Mike Flaherty, the deputy manager (or parks and recreation. "Frankly, at Wellshire it was getting almost unbearable to play golf. Kennedy was not as bad, but it wasn't pleasant."

The plan has been so successful that golf course operators in California, New Mexico, Nevada and Wyoming have called to see how it works, said Flaherty, And Denver may expand it to another city course next year. "It is getting a lot of attention." he said. "We weren't

'If you have trouble hitting the ball, carry it,' read one suggestion

for slow golfers. 'But hold your position on the course.

sure it was going to work. In fact, it has worked very well." Country clubs or private courses need only send a letter of warning to slow-paced golfers, but city-run courses cannot handle it that way, said Lind. That is why he decided to impose a time limit.

season, but noted there were a "good number" of golfers who were told to leave the course and were not given a

He said he did not think the time of play was unusually limited, but admitted that it did not give players a lot of time to stand around.

Lind set a 2-hour, 20-minute deadline for each nine holes. The first four holes had to be finished in one hour.

Those who failed to meet the deadline were told to leave Groups of golders also were given a list of 13 suggestions to speed up play, including a recommendation to find a par-3 course if they could not hit the ball reasonably well. "If you have trouble hitting the ball, carry it" was another suggestion. "But hold your position on the course."

Other recommendations called for conceding short putts, dropping away from small trees and not wasting time looking for lost balls.

"Hit quickly and putt fast — your game will improve." read another suggestion.

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tie Utf Hoffman, East Germany, 114.10. 12. Lau Yun, China, 114,65. 12. Gyory Guczosty, Hunsary, 115.90, 14. Alexey Tikhonkikh, Soviet Union, 115.85. 15. Koli Sotomura, Japan, 115.45. 16. Hirayuki Kasishi, Japan, 115.40

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Cox Voted Manager of the Year in AL CUP WINNERS' CUP (Second Round, Second Leg) 2. Ropid Vienna 1 (Ropid Vienna ad

NEW YORK (AP) - Bobby Cox. whose Toronto Blue Jays won their first American League East championship and came within one game of points, led the three dozen gymthe World Series, has been voted the league's manager of the year by the pasts who qualified for the individ-

Baseball Writers Association of America. America Macria 1, Sangar Ciry V (Alerica Madrid advances, 3-0). Red Ster Belgrade vs. Lyngby (2-2), ppd. Galatasarav 1, Bayer Uerdingen 1 (Galata-sarav advances, 3-1). UEFA CUP Wednesday's award came two weeks after Cox left the Blue Jays to become general manager of the Atlanta Braves. He received 16 first-place ballots and 104 points from the 28-voter panel.

SPORTS BRIEFS

Dick Howser, whose Kansas City Royals beat the Blue Jays in the AL playoffs and St. Louis in the World Series, finished second with four firsts and 66 points. Gene Mauch of California was third with 57 points.

Europe Leads World Golf Tourney

KAPALUA, Hawaii (AP) - Bernhard Langer and Sandy Lyle shot the European team to a one-point lead over the United States in Wednesday's first round of the Nissan Cup World Championship of Golf. The Europeans beat Japan, 19-3, in their six medal-match play matches

—the winning team also got 10 bonus points — and the Americans beat Australia, 18-4, in the new round-robin, four-team competition. In the individual competition, Curtis Strange of the United States and Jet Ozaki of Japan led at 6-under-par 66. At 67 were Rav Floyd. Mark O'Meara and Calvin Peete of the United States, Langer and Ian Woosnam of Europe.

Pirates Hire Former Scout as G.M.

PITTSBURGH (AP) — The Pittsburgh Pirates hired a former team scout, Syd Thrift, 56, as their general manager Thursday and said the selection of a new manager could be made within several weeks. Thrift operates a real estate agency in Vienna, Virginia, a suburb of Washington, D.C., and has not held a full-time baseball job since he directed minor league operations for the Oakland A's in 1975 and 1976.

Money-for-Play at Kentucky Alleged

NEW YORK (AP) - Dave Batton, a former basketball player at Notre Dame, has said he was offered \$20,000 by Seth Hancock, the owner of Claiborne Farm, to attend the University of Kentucky, according to Sports Illustrated magazine. Batton, in the issue published Wednesday, said he was offered the money in October 1973 in return for four summers' work on the famous thoroughbred farm; Hancock denied the

The Lexington Herald-Leader has reported that several former basketball players at Kentucky told the newspaper they received payments of \$50 and \$100 from boosters, and more for making public appearances.

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Huey Long on Los Angeles Raiders teammate Lyle Alzado: "He's got all the money in the world. He's 36 years old and he's still playing defensive end in the National Football League. He's either stupid or

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play 18 holes — even on weekdays. "The problems we experienced in slow play were most

Looking for a New Car

NEW YORK — For the past several months I have been trying to buy a new car. I should have got it bought months ago, but buying a car has presented paralyz-

ing psychological problems.

Foremost among these is the price. Not having bought a new car since 1969. I was astounded to find that nowadays \$24,000 is not considered a piratical price tag in the United States for a car of modest proportions. This discovery sent me reeling home, where I stayed secluded in the den for days trying to devise a new philosophy of mon-ey in which a \$24,000 automobile might seem like a sensible purchase despite its lacking three bedrooms, a dining room and a club cellar.

You don't know what a club cellar is? Then you are probably too young to believe that \$22,000 once bought a brick house containing the above-mentioned three bedrooms, dining room and club cellar. plus an attic. parlor, kitchen, two baths, two small back sitting rooms upstairs and down, and a garage in one of the tonier neighborhoods of northwest Washington.

To be sure, that house was not mounted on four radial all-weather tires, nor powered by a turbocharged six-cylinder gasoline en-gine, but if I had wanted it so rigged it could probably have been

done for no more than an additional \$1,500. Well. I am talking 1956, of course, and this dinky machine priced at \$24,000 was 1985, and during the interval Arabs and Vietnamese have had their way with the

dollar, Still --Dealing with car salesmen. posed a different kind of problem. Although I feared the idea of car salesmen when I entered the buying process. I soon came to like them. They seemed like such regular guys, always eager to send the customer

off for a nice test drive. "Why don't you take it for a test drive?" they invariably said as soon as I asked them to open up the car trunk. Apparently customers who want to inspect the trunk are regarded as lively prospects. Don't ask me why. All I want to know is, does the car have a jack?

When the salesman says, "And this Dream of Paradise XK-890 over here can be yours for only

\$24,000," I immediately reply.

"Let's open the trunk." He does not have to know I have fear of jacklessness, and since I condition to an utter stranger he probably thinks. "Anybody interested in humdrum detail like the trunk has to be ready to buy." П

In any case, he counters with, "Why don't you take it for a test

There are plenty of reasons why I don't want to take it for a test drive, For one, I have no intention of buying any car that costs more than a three-bedroom house, so what is the point of driving the thing? For another. I have driven cars long enough to know that no car will reveal its darkest, innermost secrets until it has known you for approximately 25,000 miles.

Nevertheless, I always take the test drive now, out of consideration for the salesman's feelings. Last May, when I started shopping, I declined the first test drive that was offered, and it seemed to embarrass the salesman.

"What's the point?" I asked. "A great test pilot could probably wring this thing out and determine whether it's a lemon or not, but with a driver as lousy as me, you'd just be risking a ridiculously overpriced car."

I am not joking about being a very poor driver, so my motives here may have more fear in them than one cares to admit. It would be a distinct embarrassment to total a \$24,000 machine on a test drive while experimenting with its ability to recover smartly after running off the road shoulder, a testdrive maneuver suggested by the author of a book I studied on how to buy a car.

What I usually do is drive the car a couple of blocks away from the dealer's shop, park at the curb and unlock the trunk to see if it has a jack, then listen to the radio for a respectable length of time. So far I have brought all test-drive cars back without a dent.

Psychologically. I'm ready now to live with the fact that the car won't have a club cellar, but if there's no jack, I could be badly shattered

New York Times Service

The Hasidic Way of Life

Writer Explores Her Roots During Five Years of Research In Zealously Religious Community in New York

By Joseph Berger
New York Times Service
NEW YORK — When Lis Harris decided
to write about a Hasidic family, some of her friends tried to shoo her away from the subject. "I don't like them," she recalls more than one friend saying of the Hasidim.

Harris plunged in anyway, and after five years of spending dozens of Sabbaths and assorted holidays, weddings and births with the family and their Lubavitch community in the Crown Heights section of Brooklyn, she developed an affection for many of the zealously religious people she came to know. To her surprise, she also found that the kernel of Jewish identity within herself, often dormant, had begun to quicken.

Her portrait of Hasidism was recently pub-

lished as "Holy Days: The World of a Hasidic Family" (Summit Books, \$16.95), a book that attempts to give a human, down-to-earth texture to a group that many, even secular Jews, regard as a mystery. In an interview at her office at The New Yorker, where she has worked as a staff writer and at other jobs for 19 years. Harris described how writing the book allowed her to reach her own religious roots.

Not that Harris will become a Hasid herself. But in the middle of her research, Harris, a Bennington College graduate and the daughter of thoroughly secular and assimilated Jewish parents, found herself taking her children, Nick and David, now 9 and 7 years

old. to synagogue on Yom Kippur.
"I want my children to be attached to
Judaism." she said. "I would like them to find a place where they can make sense out of what's going on.'

Her husband, the novelist John Bowers, was reared in a Baptist home, but Harris said that he was not a practicing Baptist and not so concerned about passing that religious identity on to the children. "He knows that I want Judaism to be carried forward." she said. Harris also said that as a result of her

research, she felt compelled to visit Israel. Until she began the book, Harris said, her knowledge of Judaism and her familiarity with more observant Jewish ancestors amounted to "a kind of gray blob in my memory bank." Writing the book allowed her to feel "attached to that history."

She realized, for example, the extent to which Judaism had shaped her character. "Some of my differentness has to do with being a Jew." she said. "We all have natures, and part of that nature, part of my disposi-

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Because of her research, she said, she has also come to feel an almost "familial protectiveness" toward the Hasidim. Some people don't like them and I don't

like many things about them," she said, "but what I think more about the Hasidim is that they almost disappeared from the earth dur-ing World War II, and for me it's partly an act of restoration to write this book, to say they are here and this is what they're doing. Harris began her research in 1979, motivated partly by a desire to understand what

being a Jew meant to her. "My Jewish identity had been fuzzily formed," she said. She noted that in her father's hometown of Norwich. Connecticut, the Jews were so absorbed into the secular life around them that the stones in the Jewish graveyard bear typically New England first names like Abby and Phoebe.

"There was a lot of ambivalence," she said. "I wanted to look at a passionate version of Judaism, one that was everyday, and the Hasidim seemed to be such an obvious exam-

The bearded, dark-hatted Hasidic men and the bewigged, modestly garbed women are distinctive from other Orthodox Jews because they believe in a more impassioned, joyous and mystical expression of Judaism and they adhere to the guidance of a revered spiritual leader, their rebbe.

Lubavitchers are followers of a rabbinic dynasty that once had its seat in the Byelorussian town of Lubavitch.

Through the aid of Lubavitcher officials, Harris was put in touch with a family willing to let her into their lives; she disguised the couple's names, calling them Moshe and Sheina Konigsberg. She quickly found that she liked the Lubavitchers' love of talk and their intelligence. And while the group strikes some outsiders as grim, she relished their sense of humor.

As a woman, she had more access to the women in the community, and even immersed herself in a women's mikvah, the ritual hath women use after menstruation. She came to understand that the custom does not imply, as commonly thought, that a menstruating woman is unclean, but that her immersion readies her for the holiness of sex

"I feel like a new bride every month," Sheina Konigsberg told her.



Lis Harris

The men were less accessible. But she concluded that this was natural for a group that does not encourage relaxed socializing between the sexes. She deplores that Hasidic women receive

what she feels is a second-rate education. However, she came to believe that it is wrong for her to impose modern feminist views on women who seem to be happy with their lives. You can't say they shouldn't have the happiness they want, when they want it," she said. She did not share the Lubavitchers' conservative politics nor their view that modern-day materialism and sensuality are cutting people off from their ideal humanity. While her rebellious nature warmed to the way Hasidim turned their back on conventional society, she was not comfortable, she said, with the

conformity and the veneration for the rebbe.

To help her understand the Hasidic commitment to the commandments written in the Torah, Moshe Konigsberg compared life to a new Volkswagen in which God's instructions are contained in the driver's manual. To try to drive as one chooses and ignore the manual's instructions, as, he argued, modern secular people do, will cause the car to break down. But, Harris recalls thinking, "There are a lot of cars besides a Volkswagen."

Since the Lubavitchers are distinct among other Hasidim for their aggressive efforts to get other jews to become observant, Harris believes that their encounter with her, despite her reawakened spirituality, was disappointing. "They think they failed with me," she said.

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Winning and Losing

playing four \$25 slot machines at the Las Vegas Hilton has lost all but \$25,000 of it. Daniel May-hoefer, \$3, of Los Angeles, began his spree in early October, with a \$15,000 jackpot picked up on his first morning. Since then, accord-ing to Cecil Fredi, slot manager for the casino, he has won more than the casino, he has won more than \$2 million on the \$25 slots in 10 days in October, and a further \$1.7 million through Wednesday, eight days into his second trip to the resort. But Mayhoefer may still have some explaining to do to the Internal Revenue Service, having collected a pocketful of crampled Internal Revenue Service forms indicating gambling earnings of \$928,000. Casinos are required to fill out a W2G form, signed by the winner, for any win over \$1,200. A copy is submitted to the IRS. "When you're 80 years old, you become strong and bold." Mayhoefer, a painter and miner, bel-lowed above the din of the huge casino. "I have a human spirit that likes to wander. No government has a right to inhibit that." . . In San Jose, California, José Caballero, who won \$2 million in the California Lottery, was arrested at

his home Wednesday by Immigration and Naturalization Service Mexican national and entering the United States a year ago without spend my money," the furniturestore deliveryman, who does not speak English and previously made \$200 a week, said in Spanish. "But if the government allows the to stay, I want to stay." "We're not going to let him flaunt it," said Art Shank, assistant director of the agency's office in San Francisco. "If he kept his mouth shut, we'd get like that. I suppose I was simply a to him later, but the way he's talk-friend when he needed oue." she ing and getting so much attention, we'll see to him quickly." Caballero was freed on \$5,000 bail about six hours later. Raising the bail appar-ently was no problem, since three years ago leaving a farm \$70,000, the first of 20 such annual worth more than \$94,000 and

An elderly Californian who won almost \$4 million in 18 days of playing four \$25 slot machines at the Las Vegas Hilton has lost all

Rock Hindson, who used at the age of 59 last month of dequired immune deficiency syndrome, let nothing in his will to his other standing companion. Tom Clark, or relatives, according to doubt ments filed in Los Appeles, Springer ments filed in Les Angeles Superior Court this week. The papers said that the bulk of the actor's estate was to remain in a trust fund he established II years ago. The portions of the will disclosed did not reveal any details of the trust of the value of the estate, except to his that it was more than \$10(0)) T. documents showed Hudso' amended his will in August 1954. two months after he discovered he had AIDS, to eliminate Clark, a former MGM public relations ex-ecutive. The previous will had named Clark as the recipient of his cars, forniture, motion picture coilection and other personal mem-The August 1984 will also omitted the actor's only immediate family 12 consins.

An Australian native daisy was named Princess of Wales on Thursday as the British royal couple visited the National Botanic Gardens in Canberra. That is the first time agents. They were apparently inked Canberra. "That is the first time that he flaunted his illegal status she has ever been a wallflower," and his winnings on television. Caballero has admitted to being a Diana, Princes of Wales. A bota-Prince Charles quipped of his wife. Diana, Princess of Wales. A hota nist said the daisy, yellow with ... hint of orange, is a cross between papers. "If they throw me out of the country, it will be no problem bracteatum and is relatively unbecause I will go somewhere else to common. The royal couple will fly perennial and annual helichrysum! bracteatum and is relatively unto the United States today.

One dance with a lonely soldier 45 years ago has brought a Mel-bourne housewife, Evelyn Stewart. 143,000 Australian dollars (about \$100,000). "There was never a hug or a kiss, no romance or anything said after lawyers tracked her down to tell her she was the sole beneficiary of Laurie Delancy's will. De-lancy, who led a hermit's life, died payments, has been mailed to Ca- \$43,600 in savings. "I have tried so ballero by lottery officials. In all, hard to put a face to the name but I \$1.4 million - \$2 million in win- can't," said Stewart, now a mother

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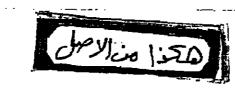
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